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BIRTHS.

BARR—July 16, 1940, at "Portsalon," Enniscrone, Co. Sligo to Gladys, wife of Maurice C. Barr, Bank of Ireland, Ballina, a daughter.

CLARKE—July 29, 1940, at Mellifont Nursing Home, Dun Laoghaire, to Peggy, wife of Jack Clarke, "Tedburn," Killiney, Co. Dublin, a son (premature, stillborn).

COVERNTON—July 28, 1940, at Jubblepore, to Una Marjorie (*née* O'Neill), wife of Captain J. L. Covernton, Indian Army, a son

GROVES—July 27, 1940, at Miss Overend's Nursing Home, Upper Mount street, to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Groves, a daughter.

KILPATRICK—July 29, 1940, at Miss Moncrieff's Nursing Home, 408 Ormeau road, Belfast, to Vera, wife of George Victor Kilpatrick, "Chantry," Lurgyvallen, Armagh, a daughter.

MacEOIN—July 24, 1940, at "Stella Maris," Earlsfort terrace, to Babs, wife of Captain Séamus MacEóin, Griffith Barracks, Dublin, and Rossmine House, Edgeworthstown, Co. Longford, a son (Andrew James).

MURPHY—August 1, 1940, at Leinster Nursing Home, to Nora (*née* Hutchinson), wife of Captain P. J. Murphy, Cheeverstown Castle, Clondalkin, a son (stillborn).

O'SHAUGHNESSY—July 2, 1940, at 89 Lower Baggot street, to Myrlan, wife of W. O'Shaughnessy, Oldcastle, Co. Meath, a son.

MARRIAGES.

ANDERSON and OLDFIELD—July 23, 1940, at Calry Church, Sligo by the Very Rev. the Dean of Elphin, John Anderson, Donegal, to Irene Elizabeth Oldfield, Fort Garry House, Sligo.

BRIDGE and McCULLOUGH—July 13, 1940, at St. Agnes's Church, Birch-in-Rusholme, Manchester, by the Rev. J. Hodson, M.A., Michael Stent, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bridge, 5 Scarisbrook road, Levenshulme, Manchester, to Anne (Nancy), only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. McCullough, 2 Dublin road, Drogheda.

BRYSON and SPURRELL DAVIES—August 1, 1940, at Swan Hill Congregational Church, Shrewsbury, by the Rev. J. Lloyd Woodhouse, John Millard Bryson, M.B., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bryson, 31 Villiers road, Rathgar, Dublin, to Dilys, daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. D. Spurrell Davies, 13 St. John's Hill, Shrewsbury.

BURRASTON and TARLETON—July 20, 1940, at St. Margaret's Church, Putney, London, by the Rev. P. G. Wallace, M.A., William Douglas Burraston, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Burraston, Kinvet, Coleford, Gloucestershire, and Miss Joan Lillian Victoria Tarleton, elder daughter of Canon and Mrs. Tarleton, St. Anne's Rectory, Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal.

GREIG and HUTCHINSON—July 8, 1940, At the Ivy Church, North Strand, Dublin, by Rev. C. J. Tyndall, M.A., assisted by Rev. J. C. Breakey, B.A., William Sydney, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Greig, of Terenure, to Joan, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hutchinson, of North Strand, Dublin.

GROOCOCK and HOUSTON—August 1, 1940, at Holy Trinity, by Rev. Harold Marshall (uncle), assisted by Rev. Canon Tobias, Joseph Arthur Groocock, B.A., M.Bach., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Groocock, Rugby, to Frances Rhoda, eldest daughter of H. Craig Houston, 19 Palmerston road, Dublin.

McKINLEY and BURNS—July 13, 1940, at St. Mary's Church, Templemore, by the Rev. Canon E. C. Hodges, B.D., the Rev. G. McKinley, son of the late G. McKinley, Kilglass, Sligo, to Marie E., daughter of the late Arthur Ross Burns and of Mrs. Burns, Ardnagreine, Clonmel.

POWER and COCHRANE—July 12, 1940, at St. Kevin's Church, South Circular road, by Rev. R. Bird, M.A., assisted by Rev. M. Parsons, M.A., William Ernest, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Power, Dublin, to Olif Margaret, second youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cochrane, Ranelagh.

RICE and HARRIS—July 20, 1940, at St. Margaret's, Rottingdean, James A. Rice, LL.B., T.C.D., Colonial Legal Service, only surviving son of the late Fred Rice and Mrs. Rice-Malone, of Lichfield, Rathgar, Dublin, to Monica, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Poulett Harris, of Rottingdean, Sussex.

WALKER and HARDING—July 12, 1940, At St. Kevin's, S.C. road, by the Rev. R. Bird, assisted by the Rev. R. Weir and the Rev. M. Parsons, Victor, only son of Mrs. E. Walker and the late John Walker, Castlewood avenue, Rathmines, to Doris, youngest daughter of Alfred Harding and the late Wilhemina Harding, Hazeldean, Kenilworth Park.

DEATHS.

AUCHMUTY—August 2, 1940, at his residence, Carranure, Kiltoom, Samuel Auchmuty. Funeral to Ballymahon on Monday, 5th of August, at 1 o'clock (summer time).

BYRNE—August 2, 1940, at his residence, Muskeagh, Tinahely, Edward Byrne, at an advanced age Funeral to Killavenny to-morrow (Sunday) at 2 p.m. (old time). R.I.P.

DELANY—August 1, 1940, at the Presentation Convent, "St. Joseph's," Lucan, Co. Dublin, Rev. Mother Dominick Delany, in the 53rd year of her religious life. R.I.P.

GREEN—July 31, 1940, at Westcove House, Co. Kerry, Belinda, widow of Rev. W. S. Green, in her 91st year.

TYNAN—August 1, 1940, Thomas Tynan, Dublin street, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains were removed from residence to SS. Peter and Paul's Church last evening, 6 o'clock (S.T.). Funeral to Killenard Churchyard to-day (Saturday) at 2 o'clock (S.T.).

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 4.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

RYAN—The parents of Second Lieutenant Ryan wish to say they are overwhelmed with the honours and kindness shown to their dear son. They thank An Taoiseach, Mr. Trainor, Mr. Aiken, the Army Chiefs, officers and men, the dear Dean of Cashel, the Very Rev. Canon Byrne, Bansha; President Dinan, Rockwell College; the Rev Fathers who attended, the kind people who came to the funeral, who sent letters, telegrams, wreaths and Mass cards; they would like to include his companion, Acting-Sergeant Power, in it all, and in doing so offer the prayers of all for the splendid airmen carrying on, and for those who die nobly unknown

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CONTRACTS.

DUBLIN BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH.
TO CONTRACTORS.
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The work will require to be carried out in accordance with the plans and specification prepared by Francis P. Russell, M.A.I.A., M.I.C.E.I., Engineer to the Board, No. 6 Parnell square, Dublin, from whom those documents, together with Official Form of Tender, can be obtained on payment of £2 2s. Od., which will be returnable on receipt of a bona fide Tender not subsequently withdrawn.
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Solvent security will be required for the due performance of the Contract.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31, Victoria, Cap. 54, that the aforenamed Anna Mary MacMahon, by her Will dated the 8th August, 1933, and a Codicil dated 9th August, 1935 (confirmed by subsequent Codicils dated 13th December, 1935, and 13th August, 1937), bequeathed "to the Treasurer or Treasurers of the Church Sustentation Fund of the Church of Ireland, St. Mark's Parish, formerly in Brunswick street, now Pearse street, Dublin, the sum of Two Hundred Pounds, in memory of the MacMahon Family, who were in the Parish from 1824, said sum to be expended for the charitable work of said fund in the Irish Free State."
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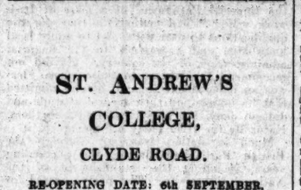

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NOTICE OF ELECTION.

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ELECTION OF PRODUCER MEMBERS.

DAY OF ELECTION:
THE 31st DAY OF AUGUST, 1940.

The Returning Officer for the Election of the above-named class of Ordinary Members of the said Board, hereby gives notice that he will, on the 12th day of August, 1940, now next ensuing, between the hours of 10 in the forenoon and 4 in the afternoon, attend at the offices of the said Board, at 26 Lower Baggot street, Dublin, to receive nominations for the Election of Seven Ordinary Members of the above-named class.

Candidates for election must be entered on the electoral roll prepared for the purposes of the Election.

Any person whose name is entered on the said roll may obtain, free of charge, on application at the offices of the Board, a copy of the said electoral roll and a form of Nomination Paper.

Every Nomination Paper must be signed by twelve persons (exclusive of the candidate), whose names are entered on the said electoral roll, and must include a statement by the candidate of his consent to be so nominated, signed by himself.

Every Nomination Paper must be delivered to the Returning Officer, either at the place above mentioned, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the 12th day of August, 1940, or may be delivered by post or handed to him at any time before 10 a.m. on the 12th day of August, 1940.

A candidate may withdraw his candidature by furnishing notice to that effect signed by him to the Returning Officer before 12 noon on the 13th day of August, 1940. If the Election is contested, ballot papers will be issued on the 19th day of August, 1940, and the poll will close at 12 noon on the 31st day of August, 1940. Any ballot paper received after the close of the poll will not be counted.

(Signed)—
DIARMUID O DONNOBHAIN,
Returning Officer.

Dated 3rd day of August, 1940.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

DUBLIN DISTRICT MILK BOARD.

ELECTION OF WHOLESALER MEMBERS.

DAY OF ELECTION, THE 31st DAY OF AUGUST, 1940.

The Returning Officer for the Election of the above-named class of ordinary members of the said Board hereby gives notice that he will on the 12th day of August, 1940, now next ensuing, between the hours of 10 in the forenoon and 4 in the afternoon, attend at the offices of the said Board at 26 Lower Baggot Street, Dublin, to receive nominations for the Election of three ordinary members of the above-named class.

Candidates for Election must be entered on the Electoral Roll prepared for the purposes of the Election.

Any person whose name is entered on the said roll may obtain, free of charge, on application at the offices of the Board, a copy of the said Electoral Roll and a form of nomination paper.

Every nomination paper must be signed by one person (exclusive of the candidate), whose name is entered on the said Electoral Roll, and must include a statement by the candidate of his consent to be so nominated, signed by himself.

Every nomination paper must be delivered to the Returning Officer either at the place above-mentioned, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the 12th day of August, 1940, or may be delivered by post or handed to him at any time before 10 a.m. on the 12th day of August, 1940.

A candidate may withdraw his candidature by furnishing notice to that effect signed by him to the Returning Officer, before 12 noon on the 13th day of August, 1940. If the election is contested, ballot papers will be issued on the 19th day of August, 1940, and the poll will close at 12 noon on the 31st day of August, 1940. Any ballot paper received after the close of the poll will not be counted

(Signed)—
DIARMUID O DONNOBHAIN,
Returning Officer.

Dated 3rd day of August, 1940.

DUBLIN PORT SANITARY AUTHORITY.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF AUDIT.

Notice is hereby given that Mr. William F. Ennis, Local Government Auditor, has audited the Accounts of the Dublin Port Sanitary Authority for the two years ended 31st March, 1940, and has reported to the Department of Local Government and Public Health thereon.

A copy of the Auditor's Report and of the Abstracts therein referred to can be obtained at this Office during office hours by any person applying for same and paying to the Dublin Port Sanitary Authority therefor the sum of sixpence.

Dated this 3rd day of August, 1940.
J. J. McELHINNEY,
Secretary.

16 Castle Street, Dublin. K.A.A.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors of the Great Southern Railways Company, at their Meeting to-day, had the Accounts before them for the half-year ended 30th June, 1940, and regret that no interim dividends on the Four per cent. Guaranteed Preference or on the Preference or Ordinary Stocks of the Company are available.

E. S. COE,
Secretary.

Kingsbridge Station, Dublin,
2nd August, 1940.

MUINNTIR NA TIRE RURAL WEEK,

VIRGINIA, CO. CAVAN,
AUGUST 11th-18th, 1940.

Opening by Most Rev. Dr. LYONS, Lord Bishop of Kilmore, on SUNDAY, 11th inst.
Admission Free to all.
For particulars and bookings of accommodation apply to:—
E. O'REILLY, Hon. Secretary,
Breifne House, Virginia, Co. Cavan.

THIS IS YOUR WEEKLY REMINDER

THAT POVERTY PREVAILS TO AN ENORMOUS EXTENT IN THE CITY OF DUBLIN.
YOUR HELP IN LESSENING IT IS URGENTLY NEEDED BY "DUBLIN'S OLDEST CHARITY."

THE SICK AND INDIGENT ROOMKEEPERS' SOCIETY.

Offices: 2 PALACE STREET, DUBLIN.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1904-1927.

THE IRISH RAILWAYMEN'S SOCIAL CLUB.

To the Registrar of Clubs for the County of the City of Dublin and all whom it may concern.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Registrar of Clubs for the County Borough of Dublin for a renewal Certificate of Registration of the above Club, whose objects are to afford members the means of social intercourse, mental and moral improvement and rational recreation. The address of the premises occupied by the said Club is 33 Parnell square, in the City of Dublin.

Dated this 31st day of July, 1940.
MICHAEL HIGGINS, Secretary of said Club.
JOSEPH GLEESON and CO., Solicitors for Applicant, 3 Palace street, Dublin.

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

At the quarterly meeting of the Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland, held in Dublin on Thursday, Mr. H. Trevor Montgomery (President) referred in sympathetic terms to the recent deaths of their colleagues on the Council, Mr. A. H. Muir, F.C.A., Belfast, and of Mr. John Mackie, F.C.A., Dublin, both of whom were Past-Presidents of the Institute. Resolutions of appreciation of their services to the Institute and of condolence with their relatives were passed. The death of Mr. J. D. McClure, who had been a prominent member of the profession in Belfast for 36 years, was also regretfully noted.

Mr. William Lawrence Hamilton Rodden, F.C.A., was co-opted to the Council to fill the vacancy created by the death of Mr. Muir.

The resignation from the Council of Mr. Samuel Smyth, F.C.A., Belfast, for reasons of health was accepted with regret. Mr. Smyth, who was President of the Institute in 1931-32 and 1932-33, has been a member of the Institute since 1894, and a member of the Council for the past 19 years.

The following candidates, who were successful in passing the final examination in May last, applied for and were admitted to membership:—As an Associate in practice: Isaac Jacob Lavin, Dublin. As Associates not in practice: William Henry Brewster, Dun Laoghaire; Hugh Gerald Brown, Belfast; Kenneth McMillan Douglas, Belfast; William Elliott, Bangor, Co. Down; James Renwick Graham, Crawfordsburn, Co. Down; Gerard Finbar Montgomery, Dublin; Raymond Moore, Belfast; Cecil Joseph McGarry, Dublin; Edmund John McManus, Belfast; Robert Ronald Odlum, Maryborough; William Joseph O'Neill, Tipperary; William Park, Cloughmills, Co. Antrim; William George Parker, Londonderry; Herbert Alexander Scott, Delgany, Co. Wicklow; James Gerard Troy, Dublin.

The President made a report on the Conference of Accountants which he had attended in London in June, at the invitation of the Board of Trade, on the subject of the duties devolving upon Accountants in connection with the returns required under "The Place Goods and Made-up Goods (Cotton, Rayon and Linen) Order, 1940."

The amendment of the law relating to Joint Stock Companies, which, in Eire, is still governed by the Companies Consolidation Act, 1908, was again under consideration.

Vocational School Staff.—For the new Vocational School which has been established in Bush, North Louth, the following staff has been appointed:—Headmaster, Mr. James B. Ruane, Athenry, Co. Galway; general subjects, Mr. Laurence P. McDonnell, Killaran, Co. Louth; domestic science, Miss Una B. McMullin, Cavan; woodwork, Mr. P. J. Edwards, South Circular road, Dublin.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

LITERARY CRITICISM

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Where the correspondence, "Literary Criticism," following the inevitable laws of cause and effect, will all end, goodness knows! In 20,000 years—Utopia, who knows? Prepare an index to this correspondence, and it will nearly rival the twenty-fifth volume of the Encyclopædia Britannia—Scouts, Rats, Sanitary Inspectors, Poets, Pegasus, etc.

It might be clearer if someone would enlighten us as to where feral man ends and where civilised man starts. The scientists tell us that we know nothing of feral man; we only know civilised, partly civilised and semi-feral man. Can this be really true?

It appears to me that Mr. Brown hits a true note in his remarks concerning the psychology of boys, the Scout movement and man's striving to attain civilisation. I never knew before that the hero of my early childhood—Mafeking days—wrote so pithily and, in my opinion, correctly. Perhaps it is better to be arguing about books and sewers than the Battle of Benburb. Nero knew his Yogi business. It might be even better if we all stayed at home and played "shops" and "houses." It is said that one can hypnotise oneself into a belief in anything, and true faith, so long as one does not start knocking the other fellow's head off in defence of it, means happiness, even if it is all illusion.

If we do knock the other fellow's head off, we are bound to feel sorry later—ah, pangs of remorse! Poor sewer rat! If the other fellow knocks our heads off, some of us are sure to be sorry for his remorse. Noble sewer rats! I do not think communal civilisation has started yet; there is evidence that the idea is dawning. From early Greece to the British Empire, men and their affairs, here and there, all prove it. Lord Baden Powell, Mr. Walsh and Mr. Kavanagh prove it. Mark Twain and Rudyard Kipling (Mr. Love's Huckleberry Finn and Kim) also prove it, and so does "the holy and excommunicated," by the Jewish authorities, Spinoza.

Here, however, is the really funny part—but no, I shall not write it; it would be bad propaganda, and feral man, as the scientists say, does not exist.

Have I used any metaphors, allegories, parables, similes, analogies or dark sayings?

The whole correspondence will certainly have a different meaning on Saturday at 12.30 o'clock p.m. to what it has on Monday at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

"Here we go in a flung festoon,
Half-way up to the jealous moon!
Don't you envy our pranceful bands?
Don't you wish you had extra hands?
Wouldn't you like if your tails were—so—
Curved in the shape of a Cupid's bow?
Now you're angry, but—never mind,
Brother, thy tail hangs down behind!"

Rank jingoism! Imperialistic propaganda, Mr. Kipling, and I, for one, am very glad, to be.—Yours, etc.,

"BANDAR-KA-BAI."

Dublin, August 1st, 1940.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—"By thy wildgaze I thee gander." Higgin caps rejoyceing with ackemma scout bottle and small irish times passing. Hoops laugh and five pere saint guzzle. Haw, haw, and lord frocken frocken. Landsender. O Kultur! O Knocknee and hairy airs! Sewer they sawn down my scout trees for poteen still and shin toasters. Me feather bed bare for fourmaster and master pan warming. Ochone, acorn, me scout lads be woodless, be mastless, be mindless, be the powers curt and iveagh shorts hairs I have them. Me black boar, me red deer, me gold eagle, me brown wolf. Alack for them all and me tram tracks fast going. But me scout lads, me oak harts, me feather bed tarzans. Me jam bores and peace doves be the shorts hairs I'll keep them, the prods and the papes of them. Hale civilisation.

But me plays boys, them poets gets, them spud spraying buzzards, them flann footed fly blows, be the jeyes fluid I'll flay them. Sewer as grass grows every manhole with scout poles I'll plug them. Every bust boy I'll dust up with me scout lads good deeding. In me pigeon house salt bottom muck dump I'll plant them. Heil civilisation.—Yours, etc.,

F. MCEWE OBARN.

Bahnhofplatz, Golden Ball,
August 1st, 1940.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As this correspondence appears to have taken the form of an open forum, may I, at least, be allowed to add my undistinguished name to the *melee*? I am writing mainly because, like the others of your correspondents, I have nothing to say, but because I feel that such a meagre excuse is no reason for not appearing in print, I have removed myself from under the gooseberry bushes of Arcadia sufficiently long to demonstrate my ability to add to the confusion.

It is quite apparent that one's only hope of ever achieving literary fame is to prod the mighty in the ribs, and dash into the sacred circle while they are looking around to see if Brutus so unkindly knocked or no, and, therefore, if I could only think of something devastating to say—I probably could not bring myself to say it. The market having been so effectively cornered by Mr. Kavanagh and his friends, the ordinary individual is a little apt to lose interest in the literary columns of our papers, where, instead of worth, one is merely subjected week after week to the puerile droolings of somebody who has had his back scratched by the P.E.N. Club and who has thus gained the right for all time to stand bestride the narrow world, like a Colossus.

The system in this country is to retire to the fastness of the Dublin mountains, grow some fungus on your chin, appear once a week in Grafton street leading a mountain goat on a hawser and have the sufficiency of hard neck to criticise anybody who has ever done anything worth while. If you suceed in maintaining these tactics for six months, it is highly probable that you will be admitted a fully-fledged member of the literary Four Hundred and your credentials never questioned by Mr. Kavanagh and his friends—nor, let me sorrowfully add, by the Literary Editor of the *Irish Times*.

Has it ever occurred to anybody to hold an intelligence test for literary critics?—Yours, etc.,

EOIN T. MACMURCHADHA.

10 Windsor road, Rathmines, Dublin,
August 2nd, 1940.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND APPEALS

DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION
HOLIDAY HOME FUND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I am most grateful for the anonymous gifts I have received in response to my appeal under the above head. Perhaps, it is not surprising under present conditions that the income of the fund has fallen far short of that of previous years. On the other hand, by reason of increased prices, the expenditure has been without precedent.

The difficulty in which I find myself is very real. Nearly 300 poor children and mothers have been given a fortnight's holiday in the Lindsay Cullen Memorial Holiday Home at Skerries. I have before me long lists of others, equally needy, who should be sent. My trouble is that, in order to grant these requests and meet the expenses already incurred, I require immediately a further £250. Will your readers please help me in what I consider to be one of the most important departments of the work of the Mission? The welfare of many throughout the coming winter will be dependent on whether they have a holiday during the summer. The need is urgent, as I must determine immediately how much longer I may keep the Holiday Home open.

In a world of suffering the majority of your readers have suffered comparatively little. May I appeal to them to give practical expression to their gratitude by helping others? Gifts, which may be sent to the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. T. J. Rogers, 7 Rowan Park, Stradbrook, Co. Dublin, or to me at the undernoted address, will be most gratefully acknowledged.—Yours, etc.,

(REV.) JOHNSTONE HUNTER.

George's Hall, South Great George's street, Dublin, August 2nd, 1940.

SPREAD OF PARISH COUNCILS

BOOTERSTOWN BRANCH

At a meeting called by the Very Rev. P. Flanagan, P.P., a provisional committee was formed for Booterstown. The committee has arranged to hold a public meeting at Blackrock College on Wednesday next at 8 p.m. to form a parish council, representative of all sections. President of the provisional committee is the Very Rev. P. Flanagan, P.P. Vice-presidents: The Rev. E. M. Bateman, the Rev. J. Noel Thompson and the Rev. Father Dunlea, C.C. Chairman, Mr. Denis Barrett; vice-chairman, Dr. J. H. Hincliffe; hon. secs., Messrs. Vincent Grogan, Barrister-at-Law, and Herbert S. Pembrey; joint hon. treasurers, Messrs. E. Reynolds and D. Watson. The committee consists of:—Professor T. G. Browne, Messrs. E. J. Kelly, K.C.; L. F. Orr, W. Costelloe, M. Meagher, C. Doyle, D. Scully, Nesbitt, J. Foxall, Devitt and Glennon.

GLENEALY

Senator C. M. Byrne presided at a meeting of the parishioners of Glenealy, at which it was decided to form a parish committee comprising the following members:—President, the Rev. M. Martin, C.C.; vice-president, Rev. Canon Webb, Rector; committee: Senator and Mrs. C. M. Byrne, Mrs. G. Byrne, Messrs. T. Codd; vice-chairman, James Anderson; Thomas Brangan, E. J. Byrne, L. Byrne, R. Byrne, T. Cooney, Patrick Dunbar, Harry Meredith, Wm. Sheane, Robert Webster and T. B. McCall.

ASHFORD

Rev. M. Martin, C.C., presided at the meeting in Ashford when a parish council was set up, viz.:—Rev. M. Martin, president; Rev. W. E. Vandeleur, Rector, vice-president; Mr. John Barry, hon. sec.; committee: Captain J. C. Corballis, Messrs. C. O'Reilly, Michael Hender, W. Tighe, T. Murphy, J. Behan, M. Turner, P. Connor, W. Lawless and Wm. Clarke.

TERMONFECKIN (CO. LOUTH)

The Rev. T. F. McCulla, P.P., was appointed President, the Rev. S. G. Cullen, C.C., vice-president; Mr. J. T. Corcoran, hon. secretary, and Mrs. Lentaigne, hon treasurer, with the following committee:—Mrs. Thunder, Miss Haligan, Messrs. J. Paton, Patrick Flanagan, James Grimes, Peter Freeman, Richard McDonnell, John Connor, Leo Drew and Patrick McQuillan.

THREE MEN SENTENCED

BRAY THEFTS

In the Bray District Court yesterday William Byrne, Maitland street, Bray, Michael O'Neill, Quinsboro' terrace, Bray, and Malachy Cullen, Diamond terrace, Greenpark road, Bray, were sent to prison on charges of breaking and entering the Lucan Dairy, Quinsboro' road, Bray, and stealing cash, milk and cigarettes, as well as damaging a glass door.

They were also charged with maliciously damaging three plate glass windows in the premises of Dr. J. Brennan, Quinsboro' road; a plate glass window in the premises of Oswald Sherwin, Putland road, and with stealing and damaging a motor car value £277 belonging to Dr. Cecil Moore, Duncairn avenue.

Superintendent O'Reilly said that on July 25th the defendants took Dr. Moore's car and drove towards Dublin. When challenged by a Guard to stop at Cabinteely they refused to do so. The Guard pursued them in a passing car, and when the defendants' car crashed they took to the fields. They were subsequently caught.

Byrne was sentenced to six months in prison, with hard labour; O'Neill to four months, with hard labour, and Cullen to one month.

Mr. J. M. Magee, solicitor, defended Byrne and O'Neill.

You can snap your fingers at Burglers if you have a Norwich Union Insurance Policy. J. G. Aston, Mgr., 63 Dawson St., Dublin. (Advt.)

IN FAVOUR OF ENSILAGE

NEED FOR LOANS AND GRANTS

COMMISSION'S INTERIM REPORTS

THE Commission on Agriculture has issued a second interim report, embracing majority and minority reports on the question of silage.

The majority report expresses the opinion that the severe mortality among cattle is due to the impoverished condition of much of our pasture land, due to insufficient attention to manuring and management, and to inadequate provision of winter fodder.

The uneconomic condition of our dairying industry can be largely ascribed to inadequate winter feeding, states the report. The conservation of summer grass by haymaking, artificial drying and ensiling was examined by the Commission, and they express the view that, owing to the inadequacy of hay as a winter feeding and the impracticability of grass-drying by artificial means, they consider it desirable to concentrate mainly on the possibilities of ensiling grass. They recommend that grass for ensiling should be cut at least three weeks before the stage at which it normally would be mown for hay. Permanent concrete silos are recommended for use in this country, and the report states that good silage can be made from semi-mature grass without the addition either of acid or molasses provided their is careful filling and packing. With good grass mangement, yields of at least ten tons of silage per acre should be obtained on average land.

GRASS MANAGEMENT

On the question of grass management, a very low output from grass land is noted, and it is suggested that the grass lands of the country could be vastly improved by attention to drainage, manuring, better seeding and more attention to stocking.

Finally, the Commission urges a more vigorous and sustained propaganda for the extended adoption of ensilage and recommends that in addition to the Department's scheme, under which loans up to £40 are available for the erection of silos, County Committees of Agriculture should make small grants available for the same purpose.

In a reservation, Senator Martin O'Dwyer approves of the A.I.V. method.

MINORITY REPORT

In the minority report, which is signed by Senator P. F. Baxter, it is recommended that State grants for the production of better grass, such as are given in Britain and Ulster, should be inaugurated here. He recommended also the policy of ensiling grass at such an early stage of growth as that the resultant produce would be regarded not as a substitute for hay, but as a substitute for concentrates. It was clear to him that the A.I.V. process would give best results. He suggested that loans at 2 per cent. be made available for the erection of silos, with repayment over ten years.

WEDDING

MR. T. F. PITCHERS AND MISS M. NESBITT

The wedding took place, on July 27th, at the Baptist Church, Chipping Norton, of Mr. Thomas F. Pitchers, only son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Pitchers, Cosham, Portsmouth, and Miss Melissa Nesbitt, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Nesbitt, Breffni House, Dalkey.

The Rev. S. H. Rollinson officiated.

The bride, who was given away by her uncle, the Hon. Mr. Justice Stodart, wore a French-grey dress of fine wool, with a delphinium-blue swathed turban and a spray of red carnations.

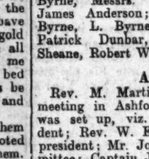
Mr. Miles acted as best man.

A reception was afterwards held at the Crown Hotel, Chipping Norton, and later in the day Mr. and Mrs. Pitchers left for Oxfordshire, the bride wearing a petrol-blue costume, with cherry-coloured accessories.

HOWTH PARISH COUNCIL.

A PUBLIC MEETING
will be held on
WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 7th AUGUST, 1940,
At 8 o'clock,
At THE ROYAL HOTEL, HOWTH,
for the purpose of inaugurating a Parish Council for Howth District.
All interested are earnestly invited to attend.

RESULT of Pennypots Crossword No. 25



The solution decided upon by the adjudicators is shown on left.
No competitor submitted an all correct solution.
The following competitor, who submitted the only solution with one error, wins the first prize of

£25

Miss M. HARRIS, Shamrock Cottage, Bray, Co. Wicklow.

Consolation awards are being despatched to all runners-up.

Any competitor who claims to have sent in an entry either all correct or with one error, may apply for a re-check. Applications, by registered post, must be accompanied by £2 fee (returnable if claim justified), to arrive by August 12. Cheques posted to prize-winners on August 14.

£25 MUST BE WON

In Pennypots Crossworks No. 27

Unlimited Consolation Awards

CLOSING FIRST POST AUG. 10—RESULTS AUG. 17

ADJUDICATING COMMITTEE: Senator Michael Hayes, M.A., B.L., Lecturer in Modern Irish, University College, Dublin; Doctor J. B. Magennis, B.A., B.Sc., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.; Tadhg O Neill, B.A., Associate Editor, "The Irish Digest."

2d. per square
FOUR SQUARES 6d.

CLUES ACROSS

1. The way our country should be against invaders.
4. Male children.
5. Workman's —— is sometimes unsuitable for him.
6. Comedian sometimes draws laughs because he is ——.
7. Man is —— who takes pay from gangsters to do apparently innocent but actually illegal jobs.
8. Frequently associated with pork.
10. Some racegoers —— quite a lot of money.
13. Man is sometimes admired for his ——.
14. Superior —— may not always secure success in battle.
17.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

The Vanishing "Growler" : A Department's Headquarters
The Fishermen at Killybegs : The Member for Co. Down
What Lies Behind the Canvas?

Catches at Killybegs

A friend tells me that fishermen, of Killybegs, the well-known County Donegal fishing centre, have been enjoying a record season. Six boats alone landed over 800 boxes of turbot, sole, plaice, skate, codling, haddock and whiting in one week recently, he says.

My friend, who has visited Killybegs for the first time, has been describing to me the bustling atmosphere of the little wooden pier every evening as the fishing fleet streams in and unloads its silvery cargo. Tackles rattle; trucks and carts clatter over the stones of the quayside, and, as a background to the shunting of railway wagons, the screaming of gulls and various other noises, are the ring of laughter and the chatter of the Donegal tongue.

The fish are packed in flat wooden boxes and iced with surprising despatch in the small wooden shed on the pier and loaded upon the waiting railway wagons and lorries. On the nights he was there, he says, the men worked in the moonlight, and the noise and bustle went on until well after midnight.

Visiting trawlers are not so frequent at Killybegs since the war. Occasionally, however, a trawler puts in, its hold full of fish and its smoke pluming the sky. The fishermen think that the absence of trawlers from the sea will give the fish shoals an opportunity of increasing and make for better fishing later on.

My friend is enthusiastic about this lovely corner of Donegal, with its friendly fisher folk, its magnificent sail-flecked harbour—which, by the way, served as a base for British and American submarines during the last war—and its girdle of encircling hills that look out over the broad waters of Donegal Bay to the Sligo mountains.

Dublin's New Footways

My recent reference to the mysteries which are shrouded behind those peripatetic canvas enclosures that obstruct pedestrian progress in Dublin's main streets has brought me some interesting information from an engineering friend.

As the screens move along they reveal stretches of smooth surfaces much more acceptable than were the corrugated granite pathways, which frequently contained a series of miniature tanks after rainfalls.

What puzzled me was why the noise of stone-cutting should persist when the evidence of my eyes revealed finished concrete slabs being unloaded from lorries and quickly dropped into their places.

Now I know the reason. It appears that, while concrete forms a better "floor" than granite, its edges are incapable of resisting impacts with vehicle wheels. Consequently, granite quarry employés and members of the stonecutters' union have, to that extent, managed to remain indispensable in the new concrete age.

So my congratulations are due to all concerned, but especially to Mr. Norman Chance and his staff for a new and happy association of footway materials.

Engineers in Tenement Rooms

Mention of the City Engineer's name recalls the observations of a cross-Channel visitor who had occasion recently to visit Mr. Chance's headquarters in Castle street.

In his own words: "Such a rookery of tiny rooms, dark and narrow passages and staircases that seemed to lead to nowhere in particular is more characteristic of a tenement house than of the engineering headquarters of a capital city. Such a caravanserie would not be tolerated by any third-class town in England."

Can nothing be done to remedy the intolerable conditions so forcefully—and, I fear, accurately—described?

Why a body of professional men, on whose efficiency the wise expenditure of hundreds of thousands of pounds depend every year, should be consigned to such dismal surroundings is hard to understand and quite impossible to defend.

Cannot some better accommodation be found—even if temporary—pending the time when plans for a new suite of municipal offices appear on the Corporation's agenda paper?

Dr. Little, M.P.

The Rev. Dr. James Little, one of the members for Co. Down in the British Parliament, has become a notable figure in political circles in London. By his questions, which trip thickly on each other's heels week after week, he has focussed attention very firmly on the whole question of Irish affairs.

His questions are aimed at the various Ministries from all sorts of unexpected angles. It is this flair he has for doing and saying the unexpected that has—perhaps more than anything else—made M.P.s take notice of him when he gets on his feet.

Although one would never dream of labelling his particular brand of political philosophy anything but Conservative, he has never seemed to hesitate in putting a question or voicing an opinion, even though it might give his party some embarrassment. He is absolutely fearless in his convictions, and no considerations, personal or otherwise, can deter him from that course along which he conceives his duty to lie.

While it is true that the greater part of his statements in Parliament shows that Irish affairs give him most concern as a politician, yet he has revealed again and again that his interests are exceedingly wide in the range they cover. In few of his speeches is one allowed to forget that he is a very sincere clergyman as well as a politician.

Cabs, Sidecars and Visitors

A forcible reminder of days that I thought were bygone came to me as I counted sixteen cabs at the head of a funeral procession last week. Retaining their traditional place of honour they were followed by quite a respectable procession of motor vehicles.

Surely, I thought, this is an index to Dublin's innate conservatism! But then I remembered that the popular resorts of the surviving four wheeler and outside car are on the hazards that adjoin Amiens street and Westland row railway termini. Why? Obviously because the arriving visitor still wants to have a trip on the jaunting car, and to swap ideas with the cabby!

Now I fear the poor old jarvey is going to feel the pinch of Anglo-Irish travel restrictions, and that my friend George Bonass will have to redouble his philanthropic efforts for the coming New Year's Day dispensation.

"Home Product"

In Dublin, I should imagine, the bulk of the ice-cream is manufactured by the three big dairies.

In Belfast the ice-cream business was in the hands of Italians.

Recent events have caused a slump in the popularity of the Italian section of the community of the North, as well as a diminution of numbers as a result of internments. That is the reason for the inscription pasted in the windows of virtually every ice-cream shop in Belfast—an inscription that may have puzzled Southern visitors: "This establishment is owned, managed and run by British subjects."

Many of the Italian families in the North of Ireland have been there for generations. I can think of one very reputable firm of restaurateurs that was well established when many of our parents were children.

QUIDNUNC.

A Sportsman's Review

Famous Hockey Players Marry : Craig's Great Record on Irish Team : New Tennis Event at Bray

By PAUL DENIS

Genius at an Early Age

Hockey players would be interested in two recent weddings in Dublin. Last week J. K. Craig was married to Miss Cecilia Huggard, while on Monday last Miss Clare Parsons was the bride of Mr. P. J. Walsh. There are some players who are marked out for the highest distinctions in a game from an early age, and Craig was certainly one of those. At Avoca School he was one of a number of brilliant hockey players, for he was contemporary with D. J. Coulson, J. A. MacDonogh nad R. F. Browne. Strongly built, even as a schoolboy, Craig had a season in senior circles when Avoca Past and Present were elevated from junior ranks, before he went into Trinity to take out a medical degree. In 1935 he was chosen as substitute for H. T. Heard for Ireland against Wales at Bangor, and he proved such a sound partner for Walter Dick that the visitors won by the only goal scored. As Heard was regarded as almost the outstanding back in Great Britain at that time, he was the first choice again for the next match, against England at Bristol, but once more he had to decline his place, and Craig came on. This was not such a happy experience for a young player, as, on a billiard-table pitch, England played superb hockey, and won 4-nil. However, Craig, playing himself to a standstill, did fine work, and from that time until the break in the international series last season he retained his position on the Irish team.

The Halcyon Days

In 1936 he was partnered by another former Avoca boy, L. C. Wilson, and victories were scored over Scotland and Wales, but England won 3-1 at Londonbridge road. In 1937 came his triumphant partnerships with P. J. Dolan and G. K. Donald. The latter was chosen for the opening match against Wales, but owing to examinations, had to declare off. Dolan, who came on, made a highly successful *début* in a 3-nil victory, but Donald was restored for the remaining games, in which England and Scotland were defeated 1-0 and 5-0, respectively. In the two following years Craig and Dolan played all the matches together, and, as everyone knows, Ireland won all six matches, scoring sixteen goals against one. Craig was an unusual type of full-back, for he frequently gave indifferent displays in club matches, but an international was a very different matter. Then he was really magnificent, sound as a rock, yet never forgetting to employ his own special method of darting upfield to smother an attack before it was properly under way. Both Dolan and Donald, solid, reliable players, proved ideal partners, being always in the right place to support him if the attack swung in a different direction. Still in his early twenties, Craig should be able to win further caps when the big matches are resumed.

A Reliable Goalkeeper

For several seasons before Miss Parsons came to the fore the Irish women's hockey team had suffered grievously from a shortage of first-class goalkeepers. Of the number who were tried, none came up to expectations, and on at least one or two occasions we lost matches we should have won by conceding goals from weak shots. Once Miss Parsons had established herself it was plain that one problem, at any rate, had been solved, and she guarded the posts for some four or five years, during which period Ireland could show a good record against the Scottish and Welsh women. There has always been a far greater gap between England and Ireland in women's hockey as compared with men's, and Miss Parsons never had the distinction of playing on an XI. capable of beating the English girls, but she never played an indifferent game for her country, and she contributed a great deal to the successes of the Muckross team in the Irish Cup and the Senior League in the last few years.

Veterans' Doubles Event

The County Wicklow championships, the last big grass court tournament of the season in and around Dublin, will take place on the week beginning August 12 at Bray, and it will include a new and interesting event this season, a veterans' doubles, for men of fifty years of age and over, on August 1. This, I think, is the first time that such an event has been included in an Irish Open tournament, though the Mount Temple Club has staged it for a long time past, and it has always been a feature of big English tournaments. The great days of Irish tennis lie in the past; this country has not been able to keep pace with the development of the game on the Continent, where the majority of the leading players devote all their time to it. The day of the genuine amateur, who made games subordinate to his work, is over as far as the top ranks of tennis are concerned, so we are unlikely to produce men in the future who will gain the same distinctions as those in the past. Consequently, we may expect to see some famous names taking part in the veterans' event at Bray, as well as some very skilful play. Our former champions knew more about doubles play than any of the present-day pairs.

A Reminder of the Past

Reference to the old days of Irish tennis reminds me of an interesting thing I was shown recently—the menu card of a dinner given in honour of Dr. Joshua Pim at the Absolute Club in Kingstown in October, 1893, to celebrate his winning the singles and the doubles at the All-England, the Irish and North of England championships. In that year Dr. Pim was clearly the best player in the world, and he and F. O. Stoker were almost unbeatable as a doubles combination. The friend who showed me the menu card told me that he played against Dr. Pim when the latter was over sixty years of age, and he was still an opponent to be feared in doubles.

Alderman L. Lyle Hall presided at the fortnightly meeting of the Belfast Education Committee yesterday. Subject to the necessary approvals, Miss Margaret Harvey was appointed vice-principal of Portwilliam P.E. School, and Miss Lucinda D. Colbert, of 32 Lockaley Park, was appointed assistant teacher in St. Mary's Junior P.E. School.

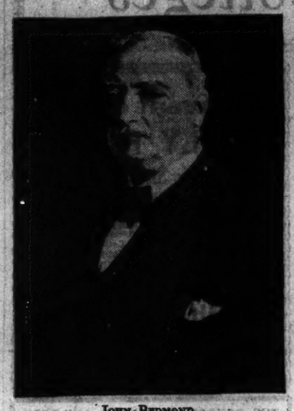
NOTABLE CHAPTER OF IRISH POLITICAL HISTORY

WORK OF THE PARLIAMENTARY PARTY

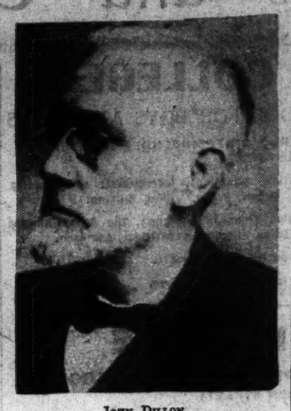
Survivors who Campaigned with Parnell and Redmond

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

IRISH politics have a long tradition of disappointment, frustration and even tragedy for those who enngaged in them. In every generation for hundreds of years leaders have arisen, and movements have been started; but, while something was achieved, it was the invariable experience that the main objective eluded the final grasp. Popular leaders like Grattan and O'Connell had their moments of triumph, but they also had their disappointments. Butt and Parnell were other instances. The case of John Redmond, who is remembered by many of the present generation, was, perhaps, the most tragic of all.



JOHN REDMOND.

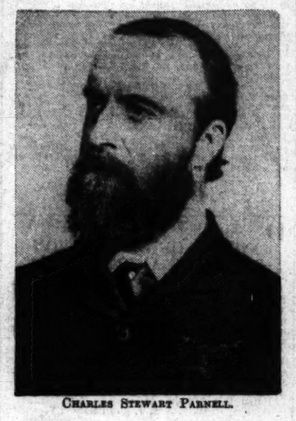


JOHN DILLON.

Redmond succeeded to the leadership of the movement for Land Reform founded mainly by the late Michael Davitt and adopted by Parnell. With it was joined the demand for Home Rule. The early years of this century brought the great Land Purchase scheme by which the landlord system was to be ultimately eliminated; a Home Rule Bill was actually on the Statute Book, but was held up owing to the European War. It never was operated. John Redmond died of a broken heart. He was, however, spared the humiliation of seeing his party virtually annihilated in a night. The advance of the Sinn Fein movement was obvious; certain by-elections had been won by the new party. When Redmond was twitted by an opponent in the House of Commons on his coming eclipse he is reputed to have retorted bitterly: "I hope you will like those who succeed us better than you liked us."

The triumph of Sinn Fein came at the general election of 1918, when of the eighty members of the old Irish Parliamentary Party only seven survived. The seventy-three elected, all pledged to abstention from the House of Commons, remained in Ireland and opened a new and different chapter of Irish political history.

The purpose of this article is not so much to survey the developments of a stormy period as to recall some of the outstanding events of the half-century through which the Irish Party fought and struggled, but more particularly to call attention to the fact—surprising to many—that there is still with us a considerable number of the veterans of the Party of Parnell and Redmond, who, brushed aside rudely by the wave of enthusiasm for a new evangel, have stood silently by and watched without comment or criticism the march of the new crusaders. Obviously there must have been many occasions when they might have been tempted to speak; but, true to the best dictates of democracy, they accepted the verdict of the people at the fateful 1918 election, and in effect said: "Show us what you can do; we will not obstruct you."



CHARLES STEWART PARNELL.

PARNELL HELD BALANCE OF POWER

The Irish Parliamentary Party may be said to have had its beginnings in the 'eighties. Following an extension of the franchise, the election of 1885 returned the party with a membership of eighty-five. This placed its leader, Mr. Parnell, in the position of holding the balance of power between the two great British parties in the House of Commons. The figures were:—

Liberals	333
Conservatives (plus 2 Independents)	251
Nationalists	86
	670

This gave the Liberals a majority over the Conservatives of 82, while the Conservatives, if joined by the Nationalists, would have a majority over the Liberals of 4. On the promise to introduce a Home Rule Bill, the Nationalists linked themselves with the Liberals under the leadership of Gladstone. In April, 1886, the bill was actually introduced, and there was much jubilation in the country. The event was hailed as the sealing for all time of the bond of friendship between Great Britain and Ireland.

The following passage from the final page of T. P. O'Connor's well-known book, "The Parnell Movement," written before the result was known, expresses the popular view:—

"In the hour of the evening of April 8th, 1886, when Mr. Gladstone concluded his great speech in introducing the Government of Ireland Bill, the old order in Ireland died, and the new and brighter era was born. We are at the opening of a fierce party struggle; the end is assured, but for the sake of England and Ireland may the conflict be as short as it will be decisive. The outburst of good feeling to which Mr. Gladstone's policy has led has done much to obliterate the bitter measures of so many centuries. In 'rebel Cork' the representative of the British Crown was received for the first time in the turbulent history of that city by a national band playing 'God Save the Queen'; in Kenmare the band of the National League stayed up all night to learn the unaccustomed air, and 'God Save the Queen' was played in a district where the National Anthem of England had not been heard for nearly a century—since 1795, when Lord Fitzwilliam came with another message of peace to Ireland."

Actually the bill was rejected, and Mr. O'Connor's fine phrases proved altogether too previous. The battle was only beginning, and the Irish Party, as such, did not survive to see the end.

THE PARNELL SPLIT

During the years of the 'nineties there were further changes of Government; the period of Arthur Balfour's Chief Secretaryship, with its efforts to ameliorate the conditions of the country, the building of harbours and piers, did nothing to satisfy the popular demand. Then there were Coercion Acts. Other big issues emerged. There was the action of Parnell against the London *Times*, which resulted in a complete vindication of the Leader, followed by the suicide in a Madrid hotel of Richard Pigott, the forger of the documents which involved *The Times*. And then came the O'Shea scandal, which rent the country and party in twain. Parnell refused to retire, even though his followers numbered only nine. The brothers Redmond were among those who adhered to the chief. Justin McCarthy was chosen as Leader of the Anti-Parnellite Party. Violent scenes disgraced the subsequent election contests.

The death of Parnell came on the 6th October, 1891. It had a staggering effect on the whole country, and not among his own followers only. Some thought that, with the personality of Parnell out of the way, reconciliation would easily be effected. This was not to be. Public feeling was too much agitated; personal differences too deep. The public funeral accorded to Parnell in Dublin was an outstanding event. The procession to Glasnevin Cemetery is still remembered as one of the most impressive that Dublin has witnessed.

Notwithstanding the split and the consequent lessening of the influence of the Nationalist vote at Westminster, the Liberal Party, led by Lord Rosebery, were persuaded to essay another attempt to pass a Home Rule Bill in 1893, but this again was a failure. The House of Lords rejected it.

The decade of the 'nineties brought forth other important events. There was the Childers' Commission on the Financial Relations between Great Britain and Ireland. Thomas Sexton, a leading member of the Irish Party, took a prominent part in this connection and was to a large extent responsible for the findings of that body, which were in effect that Ireland was over-taxed for a series of years to the tune of about two and a half million pounds per annum. The party made full use of the disclosures in the report; and not only were they impressed, but many outside the Nationalist fold as well. It is not unlikely that some of the movements which subsequently developed were due to the revelations of the Childers' Report.

PLUNKETT'S CO-OPERATIVE MOVEMENT

Sir Horace Plunkett, with the important assistance of the famous Jesuit, Father Tom Finlay, started his Co-operative Movement. The main idea of this was to band together the farmers of Ireland into a practical self-help combine. Branches of the Irish Agricultural Organisation Society were formed all over the country by the organiser, Mr. R. A. Anderson, who, by the way, is now the sole survivor of that band of pioneers. Probably because of the danger they foresaw of this movement undermining the political objective of Home Rule, the Irish Party strongly opposed it from the start. About this time a combination of circumstances enabled Sir Horace to secure control of a Dublin daily newspaper, and with the late T. P. Gill, himself a former member of the party, as editor, the scheme for the setting up of an Irish Department of Agriculture was finally achieved. Gerald Balfour, brother of Arthur Balfour, was then at the Chief Secretary's Lodge, and with his wife Lady Betty Balfour, rendered invaluable help.

In 1898 the reconciliation of the divided Nationalists was brought about under the chairmanship of John Redmond. Some time before this John Dillon had succeeded Justin McCarthy as chairman of the Anti-Parnellite section; and, although it was much the larger group, Mr. Dillon and his associates did the generous thing and unanimously accepted Redmond as chairman of the reunited party. For the rest of its career, with the exception of the defection of Tim Healy, in which he was later joined by William O'Brien and his adherents, the party remained a united fighting unit until the election of 1918.

The outbreak of the Boer war in 1899 found the Irish Party opposed to the Government policy in South Africa. As "Pro-Boers" they found themselves in close co-operation with the "little Welsh solicitor," Lloyd George, who was then beginning with characteristic assertiveness to make an impression on British politics. Since those hectic days the whirligig of events has brought Mr. George to play many parts in relation to Irish affairs.

THE LAND CONFERENCE

The year 1902 brought the famous Land Conference. That was undoubtedly the most momentous event of modern times so far as the land problem was concerned. The attempt to bring representatives of the landlords and the tenants together with a view to a settlement of their differences seemed to most people at that time the very essence of absurdity. It required broad thinking and courageous action; and it is to the credit of the period that men were found equal to the occasion. After much tentative manœuvring the conference came together under the chairmanship of the Earl of Dunraven, with the Earl of Mayo, Colonel Sir William Hutcheson Poe and Colonel Sir Nugent Everard representing the landlords, and John Redmond, William O'Brien and T. C. Harrington, all members of the Irish Party, representing the tenants. The efforts of Captain Shawe Taylor in the preliminary work of getting the Conference together has never been adequately acknowledged.

The outcome of the Conference was the production of the groundwork of the Land Act of 1903, commonly known as the Wyndham Act. It provided for the transfer in perpetuity of the land of Ireland to the tenant ourchasers in return for an annuity payable over a period of years. An immediate and highly acceptable factor was a substantial reduction in the annual payments made by the tenant, as compared with his liability for rent. It was one of the arguments against the measure as it went through the Houses of Parliament that the Irish tenants would repudiate their liabilities and refuse to pay the annuities. For years afterwards Redmond made it a point to put a question periodically in the House of Commons asking for a return of the arrears which had accrued, and the answer invariably was that these were nil or at most altogether negligible. It remained for a purely Irish Government to break the honourable understanding arrived at under the Act.

LORD DUNRAVEN'S DEVOLUTION PLAN

Following the successful negotiation of the land legislation, Lord Dunraven and others contemplated an attempt to settle the very controversial matter of the future government of Ireland on a basis of general acceptance. They were encouraged by the achievement accomplished in respect of the land. In a pamphlet published by Lord Dunraven in 1905, entitled "The Crisis in Ireland," he outlined his Devolution scheme, which in brief was to give the country a greater control over its domestic affairs, but, naturally, within the Empire. "Successive Governments," he wrote, "have not taken a sufficiently large and comprehensive view and grasp of the whole situation in Ireland. They have spent a little money here and a little there, in pursuance of the policy stigmatised by some as 'killing Home Rule by kindness.' It is not kindness I am pleading for: I want justice." The scheme was intended to relieve the Imperial Parliament of a mass of Irish work which it had neither the time nor the qualifications to deal with, and to apply local knowledge and experience to the financial administration of the country. He did not recommend the scheme to those whose ideal was an independent Ireland, but he admitted that he understood their mental attitude and did not deny that he sympathised with them. Naturally the Irish Party did not accept it.

Much legislation was put through the British Parliament during the succeeding years, including the establishment of the National University. The party pressed for a Home Rule Bill, and the Liberal Government under Asquith showed willingness to attempt it. Then came the Ulster Revolt, headed by Sir Edward Carson, and the Curragh Mutiny, followed a few months later by the World War. The Home Rule Bill was passed and placed on the Statute Book, but was held up till "the conclusion of the War." It never functioned.

EASTER MONDAY—AND AFTER

In 1916 burst the rising of Easter Monday. The Sinn Fein Movement advanced into the political arena. Its demands were bigger and more urgent than those of the Irish Party. As Home Government was not granted they proposed to take it. They contested by-elections, and, when they won, the candidate who was successful did not take his or her seat at Westminster. Redmond died in March, 1918, and was succeeded in the leadership by Mr. Dillon. The general election of December that year saw the final débâcle of the Irish Parliamentary Party. Of its eighty members, only seven came back to Westminster. They were Joseph Devlin, Belfast, West; Patrick Donnelly, Armagh, South; T. J. S. Harbison, Tyrone, East; E. J. Kelly, Donegal, West; Jeremiah McVeagh, Down, South; Captain William A. Redmond, Waterford City, and T. P. O'Connor, Liverpool, Scotland Division.

Most of the seventy-three members who lost their seats at Westminster disappeared completely out of public life. A few, like Captain W. A. Redmond, Hugh A. Law, Alderman A. Byrne, William Duffy and Captain Esmonde were elected to the Dail at different times. At present two of these—Alderman Byrne and Captain Esmonde—are members. A few also, like Sir Walter Nugent, Sir Thomas Esmonde, P. J. Brady, Alfred Byrne and the late Stephen O'Mara, of Limerick, who was a former member of the party, sought and secured seats in the Free State Senate, where they served for varying periods. Of the remainder little or nothing has been heard in the intervening twenty-two years. Some, of course, had their professions or businesses to return to; others were not so well circumstanced, since in the years devoted to politics they had sacrificed everything. Present-day leaders of all parties have admitted from time to time that the advances made in Irish political matters would not have been possible but for the spade-work done by the old party during the last half-century. The acknowledgement, however, lacked the strength of purpose which would have made it appear more sincere. It is recalled that during the debates in the Dail two years ago on the scheme to provide pensions and gratuities for Ministers, and others who had given valuable services to the nation, Deputy James Dillon mentioned the cases of a few members of the former party who were in very difficult circumstances, and made an appeal that they, too, should be remembered, but without effect.

So far as the present generation is concerned, the members of the old Party belong to a forgotten past; yet the surprising thing is that quite a considerable number of them are still alive, and not a few active in their normal occupations. Enquiries made on behalf of this newspaper have resulted in locating most of the survivors. The list does not claim to be complete. One former member of the Party, Dr. R. Ambrose, a County Limerick man, who represented West Mayo, 1895-1910, died in Somerset, England, while this article was being written.

THE SURVIVORS

The following is a list of the surviving members of the Party so far as it has been possible to ascertain:—

John Pius Boland, South Kerry.
Patrick J. Brady, Dublin, Stephen's Green.
Alfred Byrne, Dublin, Harbour Division.
Thomas J. Condon, East Tipperary.
Patrick Donnelly, South Armagh.
William Duffy, Co Galway.
Michael J. Flavin, North Kerry.
Denis J. Cogan, East Wicklow.
Stephen L. Gwynn, Galway City.
John Hackett, Mid Tipperary.
John P. Hayden, South Roscommon
Richard Hazelton, North Galway
Michael Joyce, Limerick City.
Edward J. Kelly, East Donegal.
Vincent Kennedy, West Cavan.
Matthew J. Kenny, Ennis and Mid Tyrone.
Hugh Alexander Law, West Donegal.
John Lalor-FitzPatrick, Ossory.
Thomas Lundon, East Limerick.
John McKean, South Monaghan.
Sir Walter Nugent, Westmeath.
Thomas O'Donnell, North Kerry.
Daniel H. O'Leary, West Cork.
James O'Mara, South Kilkenny.
J. J. O'Shee, West Waterford.
Timothy O'Sullivan, East Kerry.
Eugene O'Sullivan, East Kerry.

[In subsequent issues of the "Irish Times" it is proposed to publish personal details of the surviving members of the old Party.]

BEHIND THE ARMY—VI.

HOW MAPS ARE MADE

WORK OF THE ORDNANCE SURVEY

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

AN Army without maps would be an impotent body of men; with maps, however, the officers can plan and prepare to meet all kinds of emergencies. In the "old days" it was only the officers who carried the maps, and if the officer was killed the troops under his command frequently got lost. To-day, however, many non-commissioned officers carry maps as well, and, in the case of transport units, the lorry-drivers need maps—and require the skill to read them properly. Naturally, the expanding Army of Eire needs more maps than ever before, and it is the work of the little-known Ordnance Survey Office to meet the heavy demands. The call of the Department of Defence for maps has increased so rapidly that the Survey Office, since last September, has found it virtually a full-time job to keep up the supply—a map in the hands of a soldier, who is using it in all weathers and under all sorts of conditions, does not last long.

THE ARMY MAP

The Army map, however, differs very little from the map which you take on your holidays. The essential difference between the civilian and the military map is the "grid"—a system of numbered squares (starting from a mythical point off the south-west coast), which facilitate reference to any particular point on the map. It is a speedy and efficient method of fixing a rendezvous. The importance of good maps will be realised when one appreciates the fact that, unless the triangulation in the survey has been accurate, modern artillery technic would not be possible.

The present headquarters of the Ordnance Survey were first built in 1728 by the grandfather of Lord Mountjoy, who was killed in '98, and were taken over by the Ordnance Survey people when the Irish survey was started in 1825. Since that time military survey parties have been attached to the establishment, and although the Office appears to bear only a semi-military character it is still commanded by Reserve Officers, and its field surveyors include both soldiers and civilians. Field companies are stationed in various parts of the country bringing the maps up-to-date. These soldiers are full-trained surveyors, and co-operate with their colleagues, who are draughtsmen, typers, computers, photographers and printers, at headquarters.

It is surprising how quickly the features of the countryside change, and I watched draughtsmen transferring the field work on to tracings from original maps. A new road, the sudden appearance of a sandbank in a river, or a change in the course of a river—all this information must be incorporated in the new maps.

PRINTING PROCESS

Finished drawings, if they are to be the same size, are transferred direct on to zinc plates for printing. If an enlaregment or reduction is required the drawing is photographed (using the wet plate process), and then transferred to the zinc plates. After the maps have left the printer they are ready for distribution. Some of the small-scale maps, however, need as many as fourteen printings, but this number has been reduced (without impairing usefulness) for military purposes. Some, however, are needed by the Air Corps, and these must be carefully cut up into small sections, and remounted on linen in order that they may be handled easily in the cockpit of an aeroplane.

Maps of twelve different scales are produced by the Ordnance Survey Office for ordinary purposes, but that does not finish their work, because large numbers of special drawings, charts and diagrams also have to be produced to meet military requirements.

And that reminds me of a little warning which appears in the Government pamphlet on "Civilian War Duties": If the country should be invaded destroy or hide any maps which you may have in your possession; do not let them fall into enemy hands.

ON THE WIRELESS

TO-DAY

IRISH PROGRAMME

RADIO EIREANN—DUBLIN, 233 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.); **ATHLONE, 531 Metres** (566 Kc.) (100 Kw.) and **CORK, 242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

5.30—Cinema Organ (recorded). **5.55**—Elise Stafford Trio. **6.25**—Bring Your Gardening Problem Here: G. O. Sherrard. **6.40**—Sports Results, Official Announcements. **6.45**—News. **7.0**—George M. Rothwell and Edward Boucher: Duets for Two Pianos. **7.25**—Dinnsheanchas na feirme: Diarmuid O Briain. **7.40**—Richard Hayward, assisted by Anna Meakin, at the piano in a Programme of Irish Ballads. **8.10**—Irish Radio Orchestra in Holiday Harmonies and Violet Pearson (soprano). **9.10**—"Music a la Mood": Musical Variety presented by D. G. Flood. **9.30**—"Dancing Time": A Programme of Modern Dance Music (recorded). **10.0**—Nuacht (News). **10.0**—Gaedhilg. **10.10**—English. **10.30**—Annie Fagan (harp solos). Myles McSwiney (baritone), Irish and Anglo-Irish Songs.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—391.1 Metres (Scottish) and 449.1 Metres (Northern).

News at 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 1 p.m., 6 p.m., 9 p.m. and midnight.

6.45—News in Norwegian. **7.0**—Time, News, and Summary of To-day's Programmes. **7.15**—Records of Cicely Courtneidge. **7.30**—Exercises for Younger Women and Older Men. **7.50**—Records. **7.55**—"Lift up your Hearts!" **8.0**—Time, News, and Summary of To-day's Programmes. **8.15**—"The Kitchen Front." **8.30**—Popular Dance Music and Songs on Records. **9.0**—Orchestral Concert. **9.40**—Alfred Van Dam and his State Orchestra. **10.15**—Time, Daily Service. **10.30**—Weston-super-Mare Municipal Orchestra. **11.0**—At the Theatre Organ, Felton Rapley. **11.30**—John Francis (flute), George Roth ('cello), Millicent Silver (piano). **12.0**—Lancashire Songs, sung by Norman Allin (bass). **12.15**—"Back to the Land," by John Morgan, M.P., followed by "Dairying at Home," by D. V. Dearden. **12.35**—The Casino Players, with Margaret Rees and John Cockerill. **1.0**—Time, News. **1.15**—Manfredini and his Orchestra, with Jack Plant. **1.40**—"Factory Canteen." **2.0**—"The Gramophone and You." **2.30**—"The Pedantic Phantom," a radio comedy. **3.0**—Billy Reid and his Accordion Band. **3.30**—"The Hymns We Love." **3.50**—Orchestral Concert. Coedwor, Gideon Fagan. **4.30**—"Scotch Froth." **5.0**—News and a Topical Talk in Welsh. **5.10**—Tales of the Sea in Welsh. **5.20**—Children's Hour. **6.0**—Time, News, followed by Announcements. **6.30**—News in Norwegian. **6.45**—"Women in War." **7.0**—"Saturday Spotlight." A new magazine programme. **7.30**—Henry Ainley in scenes from "The Dynasts," by Thomas Hardy. **8.15**—Star Variety, with Georgie Woods, Bennett and Williams, Patricia Rossborough, and Ernest Shannon. **9.0**—Time, News. **9.20**—"To-night's Talk." **9.35**—B.B.C. Orchestra. **10.15**—"Lighten Our Darkness" (Evening Prayers). **10.30**—News in Gaelic. **10.35**—B.B.C. Military Band. **11.15**—Joe Loss and his Band, with Monte Rey, Paula Green, Bob Arden. **11.55**—"And so to Bed," presented by M. H. Allen. **12.0**—Time, News, and News in Norwegian.

FORCES' PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—11 a.m. to 10.0 p.m.—804 Kc. (373.1 Metres). 10.0 p.m. to 11.0 p.m.—877 Kc. (342.1 Metres). From 11 p.m. to 12.15 a.m. 342.1 will radiate the B.B.C. Programme.

6.15—News in French. **6.30**—A cheerful selection of records. **7.0**—Time, News, Programme Summary. **7.15**—Records of Cicely Courtneidge. **7.30**—"On Parade!" **10.30**—Weston-super-Mare Municipal Orchestra. **11.0**—Time and Programme Summary, followed by Felton Rapley at the theatre organ. **11.30**—A review of the August records by Leslie Perowne and his gramophone. **12.0**—Lancashire Songs sung by Norman Allin (bass). **12.15**—News in French. **12.30**—Reginald Foort at the theatre organ. **1.0**—News in Dutch. **1.15**—B.B.C. **1.40**—Richard Valery and his Orchestra, with Violet Carson and Wilfred Pickles. **2.10**—Sandy Macpherson at the theatre organ. **2.30**—The Alphas. **3.0**—Billy Reid and his Accordion Band. **3.30**—Rendezvous Players in light music. **4.0**—Band of H.M. Life Guards. **4.30**—"Scotch Froth." **5.0**—Time, "Weather Permitting" (a benefit concert, with Gwen Lewis, Vera Leaney, Dick Francis, Fred Yule, Dudley Rolph, Horace Percival, B.B.C. Revue Orchestra). **5.40**—The Old Country. **6.0**—News in Dutch and French. **6.30**—Dave Frost and Tania ("Piano for Two"). **6.45**—Reginald New at the theatre organ. **7.15**—News in Dutch. **7.30**—Sim Grossman and his Dance Band, with Gloria Brent and Fred Latham, from a ballroom in the South. **7.55**—B.B.C. Men's Chorus. **8.15**—News in French. **8.30**—"Ici La France." **9.0**—News in German. **9.15**—Fred, Hartley and his Sextet, with George Melachrino. **9.45**—James Moody, with the Three in Harmony. **10.0**—Time, B.B.C. Theatre Chorus, B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra. **10.30**—Records of famous bands playing popular dance tunes.

TO-MORROW

IRISH PROGRAMME

RADIO EIREANN—DUBLIN, 233 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.); **ATHLONE, 531 Metres** (566 Kc.) (100 Kw.) and **CORK, 242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

3.45—Relay of Commentary on Munster Hurling Final (re-play) from Thurles. **5.0**—No. 1 Army Band (conductor, Colonel Fritz Brase), relayed from The Hollow, Phœnix Park, Dublin. **6.0**—Jack McKevitt and Rex Hill O'Brien: Light Songs and Piano. **6.15**—Gramophone Programme: Various Dance Bands. **6.45**—Nuacht na Seachtaine. **7.0**—Scoruiocht: Roisert Ryan (harmonica), Maighread Ni Cheallaigh (amhrain), T. J. Keogh (pipes). **7.30**—An Aois seo na mBorbuilt: "Leachtaí Fola Iamharius Naomtha"—Proinnsias Mac Diarmuda. **7.45**—Songs of a Belfast Man—No. 1: A Talk on his own songs by Joseph Campbell, illustrated by Gabriel Lyons (tenor). **8.15**—"Definitions": A Parlour Game, arranged by P. P. Maguire. **8.35**—Dolly Christie's Trio in Light Music. **9.5**—Roderic N. Coole in a programme of his own compositions on the piano. **9.25**—Excerpts from Wallace's opera, "Maritana" (recorded). **10.5**—News. **10.30**—Dublin Metropolitan Garda Ceili Band (conducted by Supt. C. O'Donnell Sweeny). **10.50**—Gaelic Sports Talk: Sean O Ceallachain.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

6.45—News in Norwegian. **7.0**—Time (Big Ben), News, and summary of to-day's programmes. **7.15**—Fairy-Tale Music (on records). **7.30**—The Theatre Organ (Edward O'Henry). **8.0**—Gladys Corlett ('cello). **8.30**—Victor Fleming Orchestra. **9.0**—Time, News and summary of to-day's programmes. **9.15**—Some records by Brailowsky (piano). **9.30**—Sunday Morning Service (the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Croydon). **10.15**—Piano Solos and Improvisations by David Buchan. **10.30**—The B.B.C. Salon Orchestra. **11.0**—"When Knights Were Bold" (a programme of records). **11.30**—A Religious Service in Welsh. **12.0**—Orchestral Concert. **12.45**—Everyman's Music—5 (Alec Robertson). **1.0**—Time, News. **1.15**—"A Golden Treasury of Recorded Music" (an anthology compiled by Walter Legge). **1.50**—Analogy Bee. **2.15**—"In Your Garden." Rex Hay. **2.30**—Sunday Orchestral Concerts: B.B.C. Orchestra (Section A): Arthur Catterall (violin). **3.30**—"The New Jerusalem" (the Rev Anthony Deane, Canon of Windsor). **3.45**—Fred Hartley and his Sextet and George Melachrino. **4.10**—The Theatre Organ (Reginald Dixon). **4.30**—Mackenzie (the story of a pioneer of Canada—the eighteenth century explorer who gave his name to the Mackenzie River). **5.0**—News in Welsh. **5.15**—Children's Hour. **6.0**—Time, News. **6.15** (app.)—Records. **6.30**—News in Norwegian. **6.45**—"Off Your Own Bat." **7.5**—London Symphony Orchestra (conducted by Sir Henry Wood). **7.55**—Sunday Evening Service (Address by General Viscount Gort, V.C., C.B., D.S.O., M.C.). **8.40**—An appeal on behalf of Total War Service. **8.45**—The National Anthems of the Allies. **9.0**—Time, News. **9.25** Edith Evans and Michael Redgrave in "Love at Arms." **10.5**—Olga Haley (contralto). **10.20**—"Follow the Drum"—4. **10.45**—Epilogue. **10.55**—Isolde Menges (violin) and Howard Ferguson (piano). **11.35**—Harp Quintet. **11.55**—"And so to Bed." **12.0 midnight**—Time, News and News in Norwegian.

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BOOKS OF THE WEEK

How America Was Peopled

The Atlantic Migration

The Atlantic Migration, 1607-1860. By Marcus Lee Hansen. Edited, with a foreword, by Arthur M. Schlesinger. London: Humphrey Milford, for the Oxford University Press. 20s. net.

THE peopling of America is a subject of exceptional interest to all men; for it was the most stupendous experiment in human amalgamation in history. There have been huge movements of population in the old world, but fusion of races did not follow, except on a relatively small scale. In America, Teuton, Celt, Latin, Slav, and many non-Aryan peoples, including negroes, met and blended, to produce a nation with a pedigree as multifarious as humanity itself. What will come of this strange mixture? Will a superior race evolve, or will the theories of those, like the Germans, who think racial purity essential to racial health, be verified by a degeneration of those motley multitudes beyond the ocean to a mental and physical state inferior to that from which any of the components spring?

This question obtrudes itself when one has studied Dr. Marcus Lee Hansen's weighty and instructive volume. To the historical student interested in the new world the work surely will prove indispensable. The author begins with the consideration that the "Old American" element—the Mayflower pioneers and those who immediately followed them—does not predominate in the present American population. Waves of immigration in the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries swamped Old America in a cosmopolitan tide, the origins of which Dr. Hansen investigates with most admirable thoroughness.

The Language Struggle

At the time of the Revolution America was mainly of English, Scottish, Irish (from Ulster), Dutch and German composition. The Dutch and German tongues fought to hold market, church and home in regions which now are ultra-American; and English, the language of trade and politics, won but a slow victory. Even in the nineteenth century there were strong efforts to maintain national blocks of population, foreign colonies within the States. It needed foresight and firmness to check a tendency which took its stand on America's boasted freedom, but which would have destroyed the framework of freedom if it had prevailed.

The Irish, despite their racial pride, took a big part in breaking down particularism and producing the true American fusion. It is interesting to trace the economic forces which drew the Irish element to its chief centres. "The pioneer Catholic churches in Maine," we are told, "clearly define the route" by which the Irish infiltrated from the maritime provinces, and broke up the Anglo-American character of New England—drawn by the New Brunswick timber trade.

From 1832 onward nine-tenths of the emigrants from Liverpool were Irish. Sailing ships preferred an uninterrupted voyage, and, in order to avoid delays in Irish estuaries, the emigrants were induced to repair to Liverpool and take ship in bulk. Of the vessels that went direct from Ireland, most were owned by their captains. A close personal relationship seems to have been formed between these owner-masters and the emigrants; for personal care of the sick and recommendations to American employers were among the services which the owners furnished, beside the actual transport.

Flight from Famine

Of course, it was the Great Famine that caused the mass migration of our people. In 1852 the exodus reached a peak that stood for all time, and a multitude of poor Irish was flung upon the American shore to stamp its resentment against Britain upon the Irish contribution to the American nation and American history. That appalling transference of a million starving folk to a new world, where many were to prosper, but far more were to sink in misery to death, affords Dr. Hansen a series of old engravings which are heartrending to contemplate, although they teach history to whosoever will be instructed more effectively than words.

A diagram illustrating the sources of German migration from 1848-1854 shows that the overwhelming bulk of German migrants was from the Upper Rhine; Hanover and Saxony came next, but Prussia sent few.

A Tale of Three Sisters

China and the Soong Family

Three Sisters. By Cornelia Spencer. London: Harrap. 8/6.

THE Soong Family may be said to rule modern China—that part of it which has escaped Japanese domination—and Miss Spencer tells the story of the three sisters who are members of this family. Mei-ling Soong is the wife of General Chiang Kai-shek; Ai-ling (the eldest) is the wife of Dr. H. H. Kung, Prime Minister of China, and Ching-ling is the widow of Dr. Sun Yat-sen.

Miss Spencer skips over the stories of the three brothers, but in any story of the Soongs they must be recalled, because T. V. Soong (graduate of Harvard and Columbia Universities) is one of the financial wizards of the Far East, and today heads the Chinese Air Force. T. L. and T. A. Soong occupy important positions in business undertakings in China, and hold no small share of the very extensive financial holdings which are controlled by the Soong family and their relatives by marriage.

Methodists

The book does not pretend to be an historical biography. It is a story, based on fact, making use of the wealth of fiction which has grown up around the Soongs and their parents.

The father of the Soongs—"Charlie Jones" Soong—received his Christian names from the captain of a ship on which he served for some time before setting out to acquire an education which could be used to help his beloved China. "C. J." and his wife were educated in America, and made up their minds that their children should receive their training in that country. The family are Methodists, and every member of it was imbued with the spirit which led them to the front ranks in modern Chinese affairs. Already they had done a great deal for their country when the Japanese began their "special undeclared war," and there seems little doubt that it is the song of the Soongs which has helped to rally the Chinese people in their fight against aggression.

Miss Spencer is to be congratulated on having written a most entertaining book, which should help to make these three fine women better known to their "sisters" of the white races.

The Arts of Living, Loving and Dying

Andre Maurois Challenges the Cynics

REVIEW BY PATRICK KAVANAGH.

The Art of Living. By Andre Maurois. The English Universities Press. 7/6 net.

FOR the past seven centuries—is it still only seven?—we in Ireland have been great admirers of the art of dying. We made our heroes out of the men who produced the best Final Curtain, never seeming to realise that it is far easier to die for one's country than to live and work for it. It is analogous to Byron's statement quoted here in this book: that it is much easier to die for the sake of a woman than to live for a fortnight with her.

Now, if there is any art more than another that is needed to be taught in Ireland it is the art of living. Every man, when his time comes, makes a success of dying, but to live well—even if not artistically—is a problem that has puzzled the greatest philosophers from Confucius to Shaw. Can the art of living be taught? The trouble is that a ton of theory is outweighed by an ounce of practice. We only get one chance, so the best we can do is to profit by another's experience.

The Angel in Man

M. André Maurois, known to a wide circle of readers through his delightful fictionised biographies of Shelley and Byron, has in this book, "The Art of Living" given us the fruits of his romantic idealistic mind. He has a grand feeling for the angel in man.

On the subject of romantic love, with which the book rightly begins, he is particularly good. His is not the cynical modern attitude which reduces the love of man and woman to a piece of sexual mechanism. Antiquated philosophers like Freud and Jung did a great deal of harm to the human soul before we shipped them for oblivion.

M. Maurois is a conservative. He does not believe in emancipated women.

"The far too accessible ladies of present-day seaside resorts almost never inspire love, because they are emancipated. Where is love's victory when there is neither veil, modesty, nor self-respect to check its progress? Excessive freedom raises up the transparent walls of an invisible seraglio to surround these easily acquired ladies. Romantic love requires of women, not that they should be inaccessible, but that their lives should be lived within the rather narrow limits of religion and convention."

This may disappoint bathing beauties. Yet who can deny that there is a lot of truth in it? Another fact which emerges is the realisation that religion and poetry, though they quarrel often, hold almost identical views on morality. It was, indeed, the poets who created our morality.

Some bottle-party versifiers and *litterateurs* in Dublin to-day may disagree and cry "sentimentalist" at Maurois, but by their cheap literariness they will be known at last. It is better to be a sentimentalist than a cynic, though both are bad—a pair of stupid brothers.

"We Are What We Are"

We need some straight information regarding love-making here in Ireland. Irishmen, as a rule, make poor lovers. We talk too much in our efforts to create a favourable atmosphere, and it often happens that our talk, however brilliant, is our weakest point. No woman falls in love with talk. We are what we are—not, of course, ignoring our bank accounts. From love, very old-fashionedly, M. Maurois proceeds to marriage, and retains all his conservatism while giving the devil of divorce and disruption his due.

Marriage, as he realises, is no more perfect than any other human institution, but it is better than anything the libertines have evolved.

"Marriage still offers man and woman the best chance of a satisfactory relationship. The social tie does not interfere with love; it strengthens it. . . Old age, which few illegitimate affairs can survive, frequently brings to marriage an almost invulnerable solidity. Marriage is the only bond that time can strengthen."

And the author goes on to show what we all can appreciate: that celibacy is detrimental to all except the great artists. Old unmarried people are often oddities.

Wasteful Woman!

While on the subject of love and marriage, it is of ironic interest to note that emancipated woman's chief acts have been directed towards destroying those very institutions and conventions that loving and wise men had raised for her protection and happiness.

Ah, wasteful woman, she who may
On her sweet self set her own price,
Knowing he cannot choose but pay,
How she has cheapened paradise!

M. Maurois also considers the more "practical" aspects of life, such as the art of thinking, the art of working, the art of growing old. All his book is written on the warm plane of romantic idealism, a dangerous position for a writer in these days, when everybody is clever and few wise. However, M. Maurois has succeeded in mooring the balloon of his ideal to the actuality of earth.

"The Art of Living" may not be a startlingly original work. Some of it is a rehash of stuff we heard before, but it is worth reading. It is strongly recommended.

OFFICE BUILDING DESIGNED BY ERIC MENDELSOHN: COLUMBUS HOUSE, POTSDAMERPLATZ, BERLIN, 1931.
Reproduced from "Eric Mendelsohn, by Arnold Whittick. Faber and Faber. 25/- net.

Evacuation

Evacuation Survey. By Richard Padley and Margaret Cole. London: Routledge. 10/6 net.

THIS study of the evacuation of the children of England and Wales was prepared during the winter and spring of 1939-40, under the auspices of the Local Government Committee and the Fabian Society. It traces the history of the evacuation scheme, and of the problems arising in its train up to the middle of April, 1940, and a final addendum—written while the book was passing through the presses—deals with the new scheme which was issued last February.

In Part 1 the national scheme is discussed as a whole, and Part 2 analyses its effects on local administration and the social services. Part 3 deals with some of the special problems that have arisen through the disturbance of education and family life; and Part 4 with the individual problems of various districts.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

AUTOBIOGRAPHY AND REMINISCENCES.
The Chosen Highway. By Lady Blomfield (Sitarih Khanum). London: The Baha'i Publishing Trust. 7/6 net.
Cobbers Campaigning. By Thomas Wood. London: Jonathan Cape. 8/- net.
BIOGRAPHY AND HISTORY.
History of the Arabs. By Philip K. Hitti. London: Macmillan. 31/- net.
BOOKS FOR CHILDREN.
The Deerhurst Secret Service. London: Humphrey Milford for the Oxford University Press. 4/- net.
BOOKS IN IRISH.
Alli an Ghabhair agus Sgeulta Eile. Ag Seosamh O Totna. Baile Atha Cliath: Oifig an tSolthair. 2/-.
Gaoilean na n-Aisling. (Neil Munro). Donn pleist a rinne an leagan Gaedhilge. Oifig an tSolthair. 5/6.
Gruithneachti agus Ceannabhain. Tomás Bairéad do scriobh. Baile Atha Cliath: Cló-lucht an Talboldigh, Teor. 4/6.
FICTION.
Masks and Faces. By Phyllis Bottome. Faber and Faber. 8/6 net.
The Tenderfoot Kid. By Peter Field. Faber and Faber. 7/6 net.
Swift Flows the River. By Nard Jones. Hamish Hamilton. 8/6 net.
Town House. By Tait Morley. Harrap. 8/- net.
Murder at the Munition Works. By G. D. H. and M. Cole. The Crime Club (Collins). 7/6 net.
MISCELLANEOUS.
The Conquest of Bacteria. By Sherwood Taylor. London: Secker and Warburg. 5/- net.
POETRY AND DRAMA.
Poems. By Dugald Sutherland MacColl. Oxford: Blackwell. 7/6 net.

The Mathematics of Immortality

Modern Thought Returns Home?

Nothing Dies. By J. W. Dunne. London: Faber and Faber. 3/6 net.

THIS book of 98 pages is a sort of popular explanation of the author's difficult philosophy of Serialism. It reminds one of the attempts to make Relativity intelligible to the proverbial man in the street; it excites more curiosity than it satisfies, and must leave the common man at best with a vague grasp of a few propositions and a feeling that "there must be something in it." Readers, however, who have grappled with "An Experiment in Time," which we reviewed in 1927, and its sequel, "The Serial Universe," will find in "Nothing Dies" an extremely interesting essay on the Dunne theory—interesting because it suggests that the author has been driven by his own logic far beyond his original thesis.

Mr. Dunne, son of an Irish admiral, and inventor of a special type of aeroplane, applied his keen intellect and mathematical habit of thought to a problem which has interested everyone. All of us have been puzzled by dreams in which we have foreseen events, or have seen contemporary events which have happened at a distance. Mr. Dunne seems to have experienced these telepathic dreams more than most people, and claims that he can induce them. Most people dismiss telepathic phenomena as real, but rare and inexplicable. Mr. Dunne seeks a mathematical explanation.

The Past is Present

Past, present and future, he argues, are relative terms. We are conscious now of the events present in 1940, and can visualise events of 1930 and 1920, just as we can see landmarks that we have passed on the road. It is a mistake, however, to think that 1920 and 1930 are dead and gone and non-existent. The road has not perished behind us. So, too, the road ahead and its landmarks exist already, and the events of 1950 are there, waiting to be brought to our consciousness by the advancing beam of our attention. In dreams our attention may range farther than in our waking life, and thus we may see what is distant in space or future in time.

From this theory, that the present is simply the moment of attention, Mr. Dunne went on to argue that time itself is multi-dimensional. A superior time must exist, as the measure of transient time, and another time must be erected to give the superior time its field; and so on, *ad infinitum*.

After-Life

This is a break with the habit of mind, so common (if not almost universal), which causes people to think of the after-life as a sort of continuation, after 1940, 1950 or 1960, along future years, 1970, 1990, 10,000, 100,000, 100,000,000, and so on to infinity, with the past dropping away behind like the ash of a burnt tape. The past does not die, and the present abides; eternity, Mr. Dunne says, is around us; we are in it already, although our attention is moving along a single time-track, and we are consequently unconscious of our eternal environment.

Hence, "nothing dies." Everything endures. Mr. Dunne has come back almost to the olden Christian philosophy, the scholastic conception of eternity; but we are impressed, in his new book, by certain remaining difficulties. (The reviewer has not seen "The New Immortality," the third book in the series of four.) We cannot discern how Mr. Dunne evades determinism. His theory seems to take events as pre-ordained, without effective interference by the will; it seems to make inanimate things, and the brute soul, immortal not less than the rational soul; and the Ultimate Observer, at the end of the infinite series, in whom we live and move and have our being, appears to be less a transcendant Creator, than just the sum of our several selves, so that the argument has led us to a monad universe and pantheism.

To Know is to Be

There are hints, in the eloquent last chapter, that Mr. Dunne seeks to extricate his theory from these unorthodox conclusions. He speaks of a communion of vision reached by unselfishness; of the blind in this plane of time receiving eyes from others in the superior dimension; of God seeking those who will not seek Him. Elsewhere, in the difficult matter of "psychoneural parallelism," he explains cognition almost as the scholastics do when they say that the process of knowing is a process of becoming.

In a word, from a different approach and by his own guidance, this ingenious thinker (who has attracted such diverse admirers as Yeats, Wells, Priestley and Buchan) appears to be reaching the scholastic position, as if modern thought had turned wearily home.

From War to War

German History Dramatised By The B.B.C.

Shadow of the Swastika. By A. L. Lloyd and Igor Vinogradoff. London: The Bodley Head. 5/- net.

ONE of the most vivid broadcasts from the B.B.C. was the series known as "Shadow of the Swastika," which dramatised German history from the last war to the present war. It is computed that over 12,000,000 persons listened to the broadcasts, and it is reasonable to expect that a large number will be interested to read the scripts. Part of the series were, however, unsuitable for inclusion in this book—for example, much of the material in the epilogue, "The Nazis at War," has been dwarfed by subsequent happenings.

The bulk of the broadcasts remains, and it makes a stirring hour's reading. The style is terse, jumpy in places, but the story leaps from the pages.

A Civilian in Poland

A Civilian in the Polish War. By F. T. Csokor. London: Secker and Warburg. 5/- net.

THE author of this terrifying account of the horrors of modern warfare is a distinguished Austrian poet and dramatist who had found it necessary to seek shelter in Poland some time before the outbreak of the present war.

An Aryan of unimpeachable lineage and a devout Catholic, he has a nostalgic affection for the old Austro-Hungarian Empire, under whose flag he fought in the last war. He recounts the tale of his escape to Rumania simply but with telling effect. His story is unbelievably real and a stern corrective to much loose thinking.

We are so saturated with horror that we are losing our sense of perspective. Individual experience sincerely shared is the great corrective.

The Architect of Light

Eric Mendelsohn and his Work

Eric Mendelsohn. By Arnold Whittick. London: Faber and Faber. 25/- net.

ERIC MENDELSOHN has been called "the architect of light," and no other description could have been applied more fittingly. He was not the first man, of course, to recognise in glass a highly useful and effective building material. It had been used in Paris as early as 1833 when Rouhault built his glass and iron conservatory in the Jardins des Plantes, and the idea was carried to what must have seemed then its ultimate conclusion in the erection of London's Crystal Palace.

In the Crystal Palace was a building covering twice the area of St. Paul's Cathedral and it had been erected in less than a year. It was strong, gave a maximum amount of light and, if the towers were ignored, had a certain beauty.

Classical Simplicity

Mendelsohn, however, carried the idea much further. He began to use steel, concrete and glass for everyday purposes, striving after a classical simplicity, economy of space and absolute utility; and though he is still only in his very early fifties he may be called "the father of modern architecture." He introduced in Germany a new style which since then

NIGHT PHOTOGRAPH OF A DEPARTMENTAL STORE IN CHEMNITZ. DESIGNED BY MENDELSOHN, 1928.

has been accepted to some degree in virtually every country in the world—a style which almost certainly will mark a worthy epoch in the science and art of building.

Mr. Whittick's study of the life and work of Eric Mendelsohn is a valuable contribution to the history of building. It begins with an outline of the principal movements in European architecture, from the Renaissance up to 1914, and traces Mendelsohn's development from his student days at the end of the last century up to the present stage of his maturity.

Mendelsohn, a Jew, left Germany in 1933, and, in partnership with Serge Chermayeff, made a fresh start in London, where he began by winning the competition for the design of the now famous De la Warr Pavilion at Bexhill. Shortly afterwards he went to Palestine for four years and was engaged in designing hospitals, municipal buildings, banks, private houses, blocks of flats, hotels, schools and university buildings in the new Palestine, which is growing so rapidly under Jewish enterprise.

Building in Palestine

Building in Palestine offers a very different problem from building in northern Europe. The difference, of course, is due to climate—the object in one case being to let in as much sunlight as possible, and in the other to keep the sun out. It is interesting, therefore, to compare photographs and designs of his work before and after his departure for Palestine.

The book brings out very clearly the structural advances made by Mendelsohn in the use of steel, glass and concrete, and his contributions to various kinds of architectural design—particularly by his now world-famous shops, office buildings, hotels and factories in different parts of Germany. A final chapter analyses the æsthetic value of Mendelsohn's work: its relation to the past, and its possible significance for the future. The volume is illustrated with 54 pages of photographs and about 130 drawings and designs.

An admirable book—one for which both modern architects and their architecture have been waiting for a long time.

Treasure of Lost Ships

Adventures Under The Sea

Men Under the Sea. By Commander Edward Ellsberg. London: Harrap. 12/6 net.

THE lure of the treasure which is popularly supposed to rest in the holds of so many sunken ships frequently has lured more money from the pockets of speculative investors than the salvage men have been able to wrest in months of work on sunken hulks.

Commander Ellsberg, a retired United States naval officer, has specialised in diving, and makes interesting comments on some diving enterprises in search for sunken gold.

He disposes of the idea—held by so many people—that there is any "treasure" in the R.M.S. Lusitania, sunk off the south-east coast of Ireland in May, 1915, and provides ample proof of his statements. The total value of the cargo carried by the Lusitania on its last trip was £147,000, of which only £4,070 in silver and precious stones could possibly be described as treasure—a sum not worth bothering about by the people who had to bear the loss, the underwriters. Commander Ellsberg also disposes of the rumours that the Lusitania was carrying guns.

Bars of Gold

A far more interesting ship, from the salvage point of view, was the R.M.S. Laurentic, which struck a mine and sank off Lough Swilly early in 1917 when carrying a cargo of gold valued at £5,000,000. Commander G. C. C. Damant, R.N., the British Navy's leading diving expert, was ordered to recover the bullion from the ship, which was located in 132 feet of water By 1924 he and his men had torn the wreck of the Laurentic to pieces in its ocean bed, and had recovered all but twenty-five of the 3,211 bars of gold. The value of the gold recovered was £4,960,000, and the total cost of the salvage only 2 or 3 per cent. of that sum. No other submarine job approaching in magnitude the Laurentic salvage has ever been attempted. No diver was killed nor even permanently injured—a tribute to the skill of the officer in charge of the work.

The salvage of submarines was a task with which the author was primarily concerned, and he tells of the heart-breaking work involved in lifting such submarines as the S 51 and the S 4 and the heroism of the divers. He was concerned with the S 4 salvage after he had retired from the Navy; he volunteered his services and was rushed to the scene, and then nearly lost his life in a fruitless effort to save the men trapped in the submarine.

Commander Ellsberg concludes a thrilling book—yet another proof that truth is frequently stranger than fiction—with an account of the remarkable rescue by a diving bell of Lieutenant Naquin and his thirty-two shipmates from the American submarine Squalus, which was lost off the New Hampshire coast in May of last year in only 243 feet of water.

A Romance of the Irish Volunteers

Nell Nelligan. A Romance of the Irish Volunteers. By James Creed Meredith. Dublin: Browne and Nolan. 3/6 net.

MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH would seem to be more interested in ideas than in the struggle to give them orthodox dramatic shape. He appears to be conscious of the structural defects of "Nell Nelligan"; for he calls it a "romance," and admits that it may be unwieldy for production except on a revolving stage. His preface suggests that it may be suitable for film production only; but we do not ourselves see a screen-play in the subject as he deals with it.

The setting is Dublin, in the last days of January and early days of February, 1795. (Dublin gives the only unity of place: there are nine changes of scene.) The real theme of the play is the Volunteer movement; Grattan is the pivot of the action, although he never appears. Nell Nelligan, the clergyman's daughter up from Cork, "for the Castle Season," may seem at first the ordinary self-possessed adventuress setting out to capture a husband. She is nothing of the kind. There is a fine opportunity for an actress here if the structural difficulties of the play—academic and, we judge, practical as well—were not so great.

It seems a pity that the author should not have wrestled for longer with his exciting material and subdued it to more manageable form. There are excellent flashing epigrams; but some of the oblique satire is of dubious value.

NEW NOVELS

Battle of the Warrior. By Temple Lane. Jarrolds. 8/6 net.

MR. LENNOX ROBINSON, in "The Big House," gave us the classic telling of a story that has occupied the mind and heart of many. He depicted the spacious Anglo-Irish household that we knew before the end of a world came in 1914; showed us its sons' sacrifice, its daughters' love, and the tragic bewilderment of the years, after the big war, when those who had suffered found themselves out of harmony with a people whom another cause had roused, so that they were put aside and the survivors were homeless praisers of past time; nor did our most realistic dramatist neglect the bitter passages which demoralisation and shaken souls added to this passing of an Irish House of Atrides.

Other writers, in drama and novel, continue to be fascinated by this theme, and the latest is "Temple Lane"—a *nom-de-plume* which is used by a lady, whose memories and vision evidently are one with those of the writer of "The Big House." Her new novel, "Battle of the Warrior," has not the firm outline of the play, but it has interests of its own. Written since the second big war began, the story carries the fate of the Irish Atrides a stage farther than the dramatist, or any of us, had foreseen as likely or possible. It reaches, not merely through the first war and the Irish sequel of 1922, but on to 1938 and 1939. Characters whose fortunes seemed decided, in the uprise of the new Ireland on the ashes of the Big House, meet a fresh challenge with a fresh war, and fate re-opens a closed book. What is the part of the Big House, in its survivors, when Ireland and Europe are roused to arms once more?

These hints, we think, will indicate the character and interest of Temple Lane's new book without betraying the story.

There are signs that the writer designed at first to write of the passions of the individual rather than of the fortunes of the type, but the treatment widens to the vision of a society: a society in which, unfortunately, there seems to be a mistaken sense of hopelessness in its own future. It is a people within a people. Around them a world is changing. They are as far aloof as if they were of a different species.

That world strikes in upon them in one tragic episode, obviously drawn from a certain crime of a few years ago, although not quite fairly; and here we are wrung by sorrow for one figure who from any point of view is a truly likeably character. Yet the tragedy is not rounded, because the writer makes it proceed from sheer, detestable criminality.

The effect would have been more dramatic if, not a wanton crime, but one of those real clashes of diverse loyalties which we have seen in cruel, real life, had been taken. Then we would have wept, not for a life, but for a people.

Yet Temple Lane has produced a book full of vivid characters and vivid happenings in the life of Ireland. What she sees, she sees clearly and writes of well; but, believing that a novel of this kind—and it is a very good novel—has a greater purpose than the mere telling of a story, we lay it down feeling that the writer has yet to rise who will be able to see more than one side to the future fate of Anglo-Ireland.

Europe to Let. By Storm Jameson. Macmillan. 7/6 net.

Storm Jameson is President of the London P.E.N. Club, and the first woman to hold that office. Had her new book appeared anonymously, we challenge any reader to discover the sex of the writer: its luminous honesty of purpose has nothing to do with sentiment, although in any ordinary state of civilised opinion it would be a heart-breaking record, much closer to history than to fiction. Fortunately, hearts are tough nowadays—tougher than heads.

An imaginary narrator (we know him only as "Mr. Esk") describes his experiences in four European countries—Germany of the French occupation; Austria under the Swastika; Czechoslovakia in the hour of her betrayal; Hungary (or, more specifically, Budapest) in 1936-38. Structurally, the book would have gained by transposition of the Prague-Budapest sections; they overlap in point of time. In each case a group of individuals is isolated for study—trapped in circumstances through which nobility and steadfastness have no power to break. We know these things are happening, and have happened; but an Englishwoman has required great courage to put into print such an indictment of vested interest, of half-asleep statecraft, of double-crossing, hate, counter-hate and despair.

A disquieting, provocative, courageous book, but lacking the unification necessary to make a piece of great literature as distinct from a great tract.

Mistral Hotel. By Stephen Lister. Peter Davies. 8/6 net.

"Mistral Hotel" is a pet-name given by the villagers of Ste. Monique, in Provence, to the new luxury hotel, of which the narrator finds himself manager and proprietor. The original syndicate which built the hotel has faded out; and the *curé* persuades "Stephen Lister" to take it over, on the grounds that it may bring prosperity to the village and much good to the people Certainly it brings prosperity—but not good! A cosmopolitan flock settles down on the place: birds of passage, some of them predatory, mostly capable of being plucked by the management, and even by the owner of the *bistro* in the town.

The hotel staff is vividly real—the Czernys, who hold shares and run a riding school; Mike Shanahan, in charge of the bar, who learnt to shake cocktails in a New York speakeasy; Blompier, from the Channel Islands, an artist of a *chef*; Colette, the *curé's* strict and charming ward.

All the time, the war-storm is blowing up in Europe, and finally the storm breaks. Colette and "Stephen Lister" . . . but no, nothing turns out what you expect!

A splendidly-told, *mondaine* story, for people who like cosmopolitan wit and worldly wisdom, and who can stand the frank sunshine of the *Midi*; but not for adolescents, or those who think in terms of conducted tours.

Now Pray We For Our Country. By Eric Knight. Cassell. 9/- net.

Mr. Eric Knight has a reputation for his short stories about mining village life in Yorkshire; this novel should do a great deal to enhance that reputation, for it is full of the drama of the coalfields. It is not the conventional drama which is centred on a pit accident, but the drama of hungry men and women, of what happens to a mining village when the mine is closed as redundant.

The author is a Yorkshireman by birth; absence from his native county, however, appears to have had little effect on his early impressions of the grim life of the colliery workers. Through the grimness shines the light of pride, a torch held aloft by Thora Clough. She "manages" like a heroine—and too often we forget what great women are to be found fighting the battle of life alongside their unemployed menfolk. The picture is grim, but it has an air of reality which makes the book well worth reading.

The style and descriptive writing of Mr. Knight is good—he should write about Apsley Moorside again.

Mariana. By Monica Dickens. Michael Joseph. 8/6 net.

Here is a book, full of exuberance, that will take the thoughts of war from your mind for several evenings — and this is rather odd, because it begins and ends on a note of war. Miss Dickens, in this story of a girl called Mary, has told of life as we know it—the characters, their thoughts, their actions, are real and full of life. From the first tragedies of childhood and early adolescence we can watch the girl's development—and it is the development of a very vital young woman in modern surroundings.

Miss Dickens, who wrote the autobiographical "One Pair of Hands," some time ago, shows that she can write novels—novels of the people—which deserve, and, doubtless, will attain, success. She has a clarity of vision and a skill in character-drawing which are well above the average, and her dialogue has the great virtue of being both natural and readable.

She is the great-grand-daughter of Charles Dickens. The relationship, however, is immaterial. Her work is quite capable of standing on its own merits. Miss Dickens is a welcome addition to the ranks of new novelists.

The Chemist's Wife. By Peggy Whitehouse. The Bodley Head. 7/6 net.

There is a poetic quality in the writing of Peggy Whitehouse, and other readers may find themselves, like this reviewer, imagining that the sentences have been translated from some other language, probably Slavonic. Like many another book, it is not one to be read in snatches. The pattern is intricate, and long sessions are necessary if the design is not to be lost. The declared object of the novel is to show the effect of war on temperaments, but, in the absence of that information, one might read the book without being aware that war had much to do with it. Yet, on reflection, one sees how the lives of Rick and his wife, Minna, were affected by the events of 1914-1918, and how much that happened in subsequent years could be traced to the disturbing influences of the war years.

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J. J. McELLIGOTT,
Secretary.

Department of Finance.
38/Z.3725. W.H.C.

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The Minister for Finance has made an Order entitled Emergency Powers (Finance) (No. 5) Order, 1940 (Statutory Rules and Orders, No. 220, of 1940).

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(Department of Agriculture.)

TOMATOES:
NOTICE TO GROWERS.

The Minister for Agriculture has under consideration the question of granting to GROWERS of Tomatoes in this country licences under the Emergency Powers (Control of Export) Order, 1940, for the export of limited quantities.

Any grower who wishes to export tomatoes should furnish immediately to the Secretary, Department of Agriculture (Quota Section), Dublin, the following particulars:—

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3. The port or Customs post through which he desires to export. If it is desired to export through more than one port or Customs post the quantities which it is desired to export by each route during each period should be stated.

D. TWOMEY, Secretary.

Department of Agriculture, Dublin.
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Application Forms and full particulars may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Defence, Parkgate, Dublin. The latest date for receipt of completed application forms is the 17th August 1940.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE TO PASSENGERS AND AGENTS.

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MANCHESTER.
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Twice Daily Services will continue to operate in each direction as usual, and there will be no increase in existing fares. The Afternoon Service from England will, however, now leave at 2.30 p.m. instead of 2 p.m., as heretofore.

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J. F. DEMPSEY, Secretary.

1st August, 1940.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.
DUBLIN DISTRICT MILK BOARD.
ELECTION OF RETAILER MEMBERS.
DAY OF ELECTION, THE 31st DAY OF AUGUST, 1940.

The Returning Officer for the Election of the above-named class of Ordinary Members of the said Board hereby gives notice that he will, on the 12th day of August, 1940, now next ensuing, between the hours of 10 in the forenoon and 4 in the afternoon, attend at the offices of the said Board at 26 Lower Baggot street, Dublin, to receive Nominations for the Election of three Ordinary Members of the above-named class.

Candidates for election must be entered on the electoral roll prepared for the purposes of the election.

Any person whose name is entered on the said roll may obtain, free of charge on application at the offices of the Board a copy of the said electoral roll and a form of nomination paper.

Every nomination paper must be signed by twelve persons (exclusive of the candidate), whose names are entered on the said electoral roll, and must include a statement by the candidate of his consent to be so nominated signed by himself.

Every nomination paper must be delivered to the returning officer either at the place abovementioned between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the 13th day of August, 1940, or may be delivered by post or handed to him at any time before 10 a.m. on the 19th day of August, 1940.

A candidate may withdraw his candidature by furnishing notice to that effect signed by him to the Returning Officer before 12 noon on the 13th day of August, 1940. If the election is contested ballot papers will be issued on the 19th day of August, 1940, and the poll will close at 12 noon on the 31st day of August, 1940. Any ballot paper received after the close of the poll will not be counted.

(Signed) DIARMUID O DONNOBHAIN,
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Dated 3rd day of August, 1940.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 1940.

To Be, or Not To Be?

TWENTY-SIX years ago to-day the British people and Parliament were faced with a terrible decision. War had broken out on the Continent of Enrope. Belgium had been invaded by the German Army, and the world was waiting to see what Great Britain intended to do. Belgium's neutrality had been guaranteed not only by Great Britain, but also by Germany; and when, on the night of August 4th, 1914, the British Government declared war against the German Emperor, the fate of Bismarck's Empire was sealed. The wheel has come full circle. After more than a quarter of a century Germany and Great Britain are at war again. This time not Belgium, but Poland, was the immediate cause of the conflict. Once more the British Government had pledged its word to defend the independence of a small nation; once again it was called upon to redeem its bond. Now, on the twenty-sixth anniversary of the day when von Emmich's troops began to hammer on the gates of Liège, Great Britain faces Germany alone. One after another, her allies have been defeated, and Herr Adolf Hitler is unchallenged master of Western Europe, just as Napoleon Bonsparte was more than one hundred and thirty years ago. Now, as then, Great Britain is awaiting invasion. Now, as then, the invading Power seems to be hesitating; and the cause of its hesitation is the twenty-mile stretch of salt water between Calais and Dover. When French resistance collapsed, and the Germans secured possession of all the European ports from Narvik to Bayonne, it was assumed that Herr Hitler would take the first available opportunity to invade Great Britain. He had conquered the greater part of Europe, largely as a result of Germany's undoubted superiority in the air; and it was felt that an attack *en masse* would be made on England in a supreme effort to smash British resistance, and bring the *Blitzkreig* to a triumphant conclusion.

Several weeks have passed, and Great Britain remains intact. There have been hair-raising rumours of vast troop concentrations along the coast of Northern France. The Napoleonic idea of flat-bottomed transports has been revived, and there even has been talk of amphibian tanks! In spite of all these stories, nothing has happened. The German *Luftwaffe* has been active, and, attacking with reckless gallantry, has done a certain amount of damage to life and property in Great Britain. Violent onslaughts have been made on British convoys in the English Channel and elsewhere; but hitherto British defence has proved itself to be at least the equal of German attack; and, when one has made every possible allowance for possible exaggeration and "wishful thinking," it would appear that Germany's losses in men and machines have been out of all proportion to the damage that has been inflicted on Great Britain. In view of the early approach of the short days and uncertain weather, the question inevitably arises: has Herr Hitler abandoned the idea of an invasion, or is he trying to keep the British people guessing, thus pursuing the theory of the *Nervenkrieg* to its logical conclusion? It is an exceedingly interesting situation. Herr Hitler's personal prestige stands high throughout the world. Indeed, it stands so high that he cannot afford to undertake any enterprise unless he can be reasonably sure in advance of its complete success. An attempted invasion of England, if it should be repulsed, would be fatal to Herr Hitler's reputation. It would burst, once and for all time, the bubble of German invincibility, and would convince the world of the ultimate impossibility of a German victory. In these circumstances, therefore, while the possibilities of a German invasion cannot be ruled out, they are becoming daily smaller. Herr Hitler, above all else, is a realist. The events of recent weeks have not been lost upon him.

China's Hopes

For three years China has been conducting a gallant and honourable war against unwarranted invasion. The odds against her have been formidable; her generals have made mistakes, and have paid the penalty of them; she has paid the penalty, too, of trustfulness, inasmuch as she has relied upon the pledges of several nations which—largely as a result of unforeseen circumstances—have left her in the lurch. Can China hope to persevere in the unequal struggle? Some months ago the answer well might have been "Yes!" Her armies included hundreds of thousands, if not millions, of young and enthusiastic men, and more were available to fill the ranks as they were thinned by the Japanese fire. There was a fine spirit throughout the greater part of the huge country, and there was a steady, if hardly an adequate, supply of arms *via* Hong Kong, Burma and French Indo-China. The position to-day is less clear. France, over-run by German troops, has been forced to defer to a Japanese demand that the supply of arms through her Asiatic territory shall be abandoned; Great Britain, unable to offer a real challenge to the Japanese, has promised that none shall be transported *via* Hong Kong and Burma for a period of three months—which probably means *sine die*. It remains to be seen what Chiang Kai-shek will do under these changed conditions. We do not pretend—nor can any European newspaper pretend—to an understanding of events in the heart of China; lucid and authoritative reports from that huge area are well nigh non-existant. It would scarcely be surprising, however, to learn that the loss of their supplies of arms had made all the difference to the Chinese Nationalists' hope of victory. Without weapons, petrol and the other essential stores, an army, however numerous, brave and well-disciplined, cannot expect to prevail against an enemy which not only is brave and well-disciplined, but possesses the materials. Chiang Kai-shek has endured many disappointments during recent years; is it not too sadly possible that this latest disappointment will be the last straw? He and his cause, for all practical purposes, are friendless. No single nation—not even Russia—is supplying him with the material on which all his chances of success are grounded, many are in sympathy with him, but sympathy is little help, while his enemies are being furnished with arms, and his own people denied them. Will he be able now even to maintain the fighting spirit of his vast armies?

An extremely interesting article from a Special Correspondent of *The Times* suggests that the situation may not be so bad for Chiang Kai-shek as it seems. His hope lies not so much in his own strength as in the fundamental weakness of his enemies. Japan cannot hope to prosecute the war indefinitely: it is far too severe a drain upon her own scanty resources. That is why they have tried so hard to achieve their ambitions in China by diplomacy, propaganda and "fifth column" methods rather than by actual fighting. "They have lost the incentive," says *The Times*, "to penetrate deeper into a country where the winning of battles fails to bring them victory." Not long ago they addressed what was almost an appeal to Chiang Kai-shek to lay down his arms; he replied with a fierce counter-attack against the newly captured city of Nanning. They have tried almost desperately to establish and consolidate the puppet régime of the renegade Nationalist, Wang Ching-wei: the Chungking leaders "continue to show the utmost unconcern . . . and regard the failure of his régime as a foregone conclusion." In fact, the correspondent concludes, this puppet administration has been a mistake of Japanese policy: having set it up as the only legitimate Government of China, they no longer can treat directly with Chiang Kai-shek, whose hold upon the esteem and loyalty of the Chinese people is so great as to make him the only man who matters. "The brains, the character and the will" are on the Nationalist side: Wang Ching-wei has failed "to win a single adherent of national repute to his cause." In fact, if wars were won by national spirit, all the odds would favour Chiang Kai-shek. Wars, unfortunately, are not won by national spirit, unsupported by a certain minimum of fighting material, and it would be wrong to show undu cheerfulness about Chinese prospects. There is small doubt that they will be able to hold the great hinterland, whither the Japanese hardly will dare to penetrate; but every passing day strengthens the Japanese hold upon the big cities of the east, and diverts an increasing portion of China's wealth into the invader's hands. The struggle lies between the growing patriotism of the Chinese, on the one hand, and the still considerable resources of the Japanese, on the other. If America, the one nation that remains—at least, partly—free from embarrassments, dared to take a hand, the scale might be tipped decisively on China's side. Is America so deeply absorbed in the European struggle that she dare not turn her eyes and energies to the West?

The National Trust

Great Britain is at war, and any reader of her newspapers could form the opinion that every one of her decent, peace-time activities has been brought to a full stop. Apparently, however, there are some that continue to progress. Numerous articles have been written in this journal calling attention to the excellent work of the National Trust for Places of Historic Interest and Natural Beauty. This eminently useful organisation already has been responsible for the safeguarding of many lovely and historic regions which had been threatened with destruction at the despoiler's hand, and it is deserving of the highest praise. We had understood—from the absence of newspaper references—that its work had come to a close with the outbreak of war, and it is gratifying to read that the facts have been otherwise. The Royal Society of Arts met a few days ago, when its president, Lord Zetland, revealed that many valuable additions had been made to the properties under the National Trust's control. They include the estate of Little Clarendon, in Wiltshire, celebrated alike for its beauty and for its historic associations, and the Dolaucothy estate, in Carmarthenshire, extending over 2,500 acres, and involving a considerable number of pictures which may be of national interest. While he made the announcement of these gifts, Lord Zetland said that the work of the National Trust, war or no war, could not be brought to an end; in these days indeed, it was more important than ever that its properties should be adequately husbanded. We agree with his lordship. So many of the things that a nation holds precious are bound to be lost, or, at least, to suffer damage, in time of war, that the preservation of those which possibly can be preserved is a matter of national duty. Not long ago a popular English periodical published a series of photographs of rural Britain under the generic title of "What We Are Fighting For." They were charming photographs—but would it have been possible to take them without the assistance of such bodies as the National Trust for Places of Historic Interest and Natural Beauty? Would the scenes have been there to be photographed? Would they not have been over-ridden, rather, with factories, villas, or holiday camps? The work of the National Trust, indeed, has not been suspended during the war. There is a great deal that it can do—a great deal, for that matter, that it must do. The present war is bound to end some time, and some sort of civilisation will be established as a result of it, or in despite of it. Will everything have been knocked to pieces—in France, in England, in Germany—or will some traces of the old characteristics that contributed to the charm of those countries remain? There is so much loveliness in all three of those countries—particularly, in their rural regions: loveliness that must be saved if the sum of civilised tradition is to be preserved. Can it be preserved—not only from the enemies belonging to other nations, but from the enemies within the national borders, who are the worse foes? The answer lies with such organisations as the National Trust. Their work must go on.

25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, August 3, 1915.

Germany's War Service.

There are 10,000,000 persons engaged in the German war service. This was one of many facts which emerged at the Prize Court in London yesterday when an official of the War Office read a statement on the number of persons now serving or employed with the German war machine.

Of these, 4,000,000 are in arms on the two fronts; 750,000 are in training; there have been 2,000,000 casualties; 500,000 are employed in the railway service, 750,000 in arsenals and arms factories, and roughly 1,000,000 in coal mines and factories engaged in various kinds of war production.

The case was one in which the Crown asked for the condemnation of four Scandinavian steamers on the ground that the goods consisted of more than ninety per cent. contraband or conditional contraband.

Blessington Steam Tramway.

The directors of the Dublin and Blessington Steam Tramway Company are about to equip the line with a number of petrol-electric cars. The first of these arrived a few days ago from Scotland, and is now on view at the company's shed at Templeogue, where it is attracting considerable attention. It is believed to be the first car of its kind in Ireland.

One of the advantages of the new car is that passengers making the journey to Poulaphuca can do so without suffering from smoke from the engine. The current will be generated by a petrol engine mounted in the motor-man's compartment.

The car, which is luxuriously appointed, is lighted by electricity, both inside and outside.

QUEEN DECORATES DUTCH NAVAL MEN

Queen Wilhelmina yesterday decorated officers and men of the Dutch Navy who distinguished themselves in the Dutch campaign. Two of the officers received the Insignia of the Militaire Willemsorde. They were the commander of a torpedo boat and the commander of a motor torpedo boat, who distinguished themselves in the operations around Rotterdam.—(Press Association War Special.)

MORE CANADIAN TROOPS IN BRITAIN

More Canadian troops have arrived in Britain and have entrained for their camp. They will later join the First Canadian Division in forming the Canadian Active Service Force.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5.44	5.45
Sets	9.18	9.16
Lighting-up Time	10.18	10.16

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	—	0.18
Evening	12. 0	12.42

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	6.12	6.32
Belfast	11. 7	11.29
Cork	5.51	6.14
Cosh	5.48	6.11
Drogheda	11.48	—
Dundalk	11.45	—
Galway	5.30	5.45
Kinsale	5.37	6. 0
Limerick	7. 0	7.16
Sligo	6.15	6.35
Waterford	6.49	7.12
Westport	5.52	6.10

The Slovak Government ordered all restaurants and cafes owned by Jews to close immediately, the German radio announced yesterday.

COURT AND PERSONAL

FROM THE *COURT CIRCULAR*.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Friday.

The Right Hon. R. S. Hudson, M.P. (Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries) had an audience of the King this morning.

Rear-Admiral Henry Moore had the honour of being received by His Majesty, when the King invested him with the insignia of a Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

The Queen, during the week, inspected a parade of members of the Women's Legion at Buckingham Palace.

The Duchess of Gloucester, attended by Miss Eva Sandford, paid a visit on Tuesday last to units of the King's Own Scottish Borderers, of which regiment Her Royal Highness is Colonel-in-Chief.

The Marchioness of Waterford and her sons have left Curraghmore for Woodhouse, Stradbally, where they will stay for a month.

Prince Bernhard has paid a visit to the Dutch troops "somewhere in Great Britain." He took the salute and inspected the Dutch military camp.

The Earl of Bandon has been appointed a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order. He was promoted from Squadron Leader to Wing Commander last December.

Viscountess Craigavon has been admitted to the Venerable Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, in the Grade of Commander (Sister).

Lady Phillips, wife of Sir Lionel Phillips, has given birth to a son.

S. Beppu San and his wife are establishing a residence in Ireland.

Mrs. Joseph K. O'Connor has returned to Shandy Lodge, Castleknock, after a short stay in Kerry.

K. Ricchi Hashi San, Vice-Consul of Japan at Liverpool, is now in Dublin.

Mr and Mrs. V. C. Quirke are staying at Court-na-Farraga Hotel, Killiney.

Mrs. J. A. Walton and Mrs. W. L. Robertson are staying at Court-na-Farraga Hotel, Killiney.

An engagement is announced, and the marriage will shortly take place, of John Derek, younger son of the late Thomas F. Crozier, of Avonmore, Stillorgan, and Mrs. Crozier, of 39 Palmerston road, Dublin, and Marjorie only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Burrows, of Fintragh, Killybegs, Co. Donegal.

The engagement is announced between Robert McDougall Stewart Keir, M.B., elder son of Alexander Keir, O.B.E., Sarawak Borneo, and of Mrs. Keir, Aberdeen, and Margaret Lindsay Campbell, M.B., only daughter of Dr. G. F. and Mrs. Campbell, Dunleady House, Dundonald, Co. Down.

The engagement is announced between Lieut. H. T. R. Devlin, R.A.M.C., eldest son of Rev. W. H. Devlin, M.A., and Mrs Devlin, St. Owens, Ballymore, Co. Westmeath, and Norah, elder daughter of the late T. J. Gibson and Mrs. Gibson, Kenwyn, Mountain Ash, Glamorgan, Wales.

The marriage arranged between Allan C. Dutch, only son of the late Mr. G. B. Dutch and Mrs. A. Dunbar, Kirriemuir, Angus, Scotland, and Frances Doreen, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Walshe, 10 Maretimo Gardens, East, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, will take place quietly early in September.

The marriage arranged between John Laird Roberts Musgrave, of Hayfield House, Cork, and Elinor Molyneux Hatch, of Ard-na-Grian, Kinsale, will take place on August 24th.

The marriage of Houston C. Doak, 2 Haddington Park, Glenageary, and Nell Stiven, Provincial Bank House, Dun Laoghaire, will take place on August 27th.

Dr. J. Murray Hayden has left 41 Fitzwilliam square for a few weeks.

Dr T. Gilmartin will be absent from 32 Lower Baggot street for a fortnight.

Doctor P. J. Keogh will be out of town until August 19th.

Dr. John F. Cunningham has left 38 Fitzwilliam square until September.

Dr. L. J. Curtin has left 24 Lower Baggot street until September.

Dr. L. W. McCaughey has left 71 Merrion square until 26th August.

Dr. J. F. Devane has returned to 3 Pery square, Limerick.

Dr. K. McGrath will be away from 10 Westland row until September.

Doctor P. T. O'Farrell has returned to 66 Lower Baggot street.

Dr. M. J. Mullen has left 13 Parnell square until the end of August.

Doctor John Mackey will be absent from 81 Upper George's street, Dun Laoghaire, and 12 Merrion square, Dublin, until August 19th.

Mr. Frederick Gill has left 38 Fitzwilliam place for four weeks.

Mr. E. T. Pasley has left 12 Rathmines road until Monday, 19th August.

Mr. W. Stewart has left 34 Upper Fitzwilliam street for three weeks.

Mr. W. S. Johnston has left 60 Grafton street and "Arno," Bray, until August 26th.

Mr. Charles Ashton will be absent from 82 Lower Beechwood avenue for two weeks.

Mr. J. K. Donnelly will be absent from 36 Fitzwilliam square until the end of August.

Mr. Alfred Cowan has returned to 19 Harcourt street.

Mr. John F. Owens, L.D.S.I., will be away from 43 Upper Drumcondra road until August 26th.

Mr. J. E. Willoughby, L.D.S., has left 84 Harcourt street until the 12th inst.

Mr. J. Rubinstein, L.D.S., will be absent from 85 Harcourt street until 14th August.

Dr. Kevin Malley has returned to 57 Merrion square.

Mr. H. Jeffers, Dental Surgeon, will be absent from 4 Lower Mount street till 20th August.

Miss Ethel M. O'Connell, M.C.S.M.M.G., will be away from 42 Harcourt street until the end of August.

RYLANCE—CHAMBERS.

The marriage arranged between Ralph Curzon, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Rylance, of Southport, and Margaret Joan Clare, only daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. Harry Chambers, of Southport, took place quietly at St. Stephen's Parish Church, Dublin, on Thursday, August 1st, 1940.

"Gardens." Jubilee Nurses' Pension Fund. Sunday, August 11th. Co. Meath (3 to 7 pm.) —Captain R. H. Fowler, Rahinstown, Enfield.

Switzers are now showing their Early Autumn Hats—also smart Panamas and Pastel Felts.

Calling All Babies! We have Prams, Folders, Cots, Canopies, Moses Baskets, etc., at prices to suit every purchaser. Cash or easy payments. Write for Illustrated Catalogue T, The Baby Carriage Co., 129 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Miss Adams, Tullamore, chose for her wedding a chic Floral French Crêpe-de-Chine Frock, worn with an Oyster "Mota Crêpe" Coat and Model Brown Hat. Trousseau by Femina, Ltd., 9 Wicklow street.

Closing Down Offers—The American Shop is disposing of its entire collection of smart Coats, Gowns, Frocks, Suits, Lingerie, etc. (including Advance Autumn Models and Bridal Outfits), at unprecedented reductions before definitely closing this week. — 37 Wicklow street.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixou and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Madame de Sarigny has gone away for one month, and hopes to re-open on Monday, September 2nd.

Some Summer dresses and coats still available at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

Holiday Fashion Shoes. — Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., Shoemakers, 26 Stephen's Green and branches.

Maguire and Gatchell are displaying Table Glass of Fashion and Exquisite China, most acceptable and useful Presents, at 10 Dawson street, Dublin.

To Ladies.—Medical Appliances, Belts, etc. Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings which defy detection, or Lastex and Lastetar Stockings which need no covering hose and wash well. Lady attendants.—Fannin and Co., Ltd. 41 Grafton street.

Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery, Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau st., Dublin.

LONDON LETTER

MOLOTOFF'S SPEECH DISCOUNTED

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FRIDAY NIG

'PLANE CRASHES ON SHIP'S DECK

Two Shot Down by Steamer's Gunners

GERMAN ATTACK ON A CONVOY

TWO German 'planes which attacked a small vessel off the North-East coast of Scotland were shot down by the ship's gunners. The second 'plane crashed on to the stern of the ship a mass of wreckage starting a fire, which was quickly extinguished. Nothing was seen of the crews of the two 'planes, who, presumably, lost their lives.

The story of the ship's encounter was revealed on its arrival at an East of Scotland port.

Aerial torpedoes were fired at the ship, and there were bursts of machine-gun fire from the German 'planes as they circled round it.

The crew took up their defensive positions, and the ship's gunners, with practically their first burst of fire, shot one of the 'planes down in flames into the sea.

Hardly had this 'plane been accounted for than the second met its match in the intrepid gunners.

ADMIRALTY COMMUNIQUE

A British Admiralty *communiqué* last night stated:—

"One of our convoys in the North Sea was repeatedly attacked by German aircraft yesterday afternoon. No damage was done to any of the ships in convoy or to the escorting warships.

"One of the escorting vessels, H.M.S. Weston (Lieut.-Commander S. C. Tuke, R.N.), shot down one of the enemy aircraft. There were no casualties in H.M.S. Weston.

"In another part of the North Sea s.s Highlander (Captain Gifford) was twice attacked by enemy aircraft last night. In the first attack he enemy aircraft dropped bombs, which missed, and then raked the ship with machine gun fire.

"While doing so, the German aircraft was hit by the defensive armament of the Highlander, and was seen to crash into the sea in flames one hundred yards astern of the ship.

"Two minutes later the s.s Highlander was attacked by another German aircraft. Again the bombs missed. As the aircraft circled to renew the attack it was hit, causing it to lose height. The port wing of the aircraft struck the port lifeboat at the davits. This swung the machine around, and it crashed on to the poop of the s.s Highlander.

"This morning the s.s. Highlander steamed into harbour with the wreckage of the German aircraft on her poop. The only casualty sustained in the s.s Highlander was two men wounded."

The Press Association adds that the Highlander is a vessel of 1,216 tons, and is commanded by Captain William Gifford, a Shetlander.

KILLED IN FLYING ACCIDENT

MAN WHO HAD PRIVATE AERODROME

Mr. Richard Ormonde Shuttleworth, one of the best-known airmen and racing motor-drivers in Great Britain, has been killed in a flying accident near Oxford. He joined the Royal Air Force early this year.

Aged 31, Mr. Shuttleworth was chairman of Railton Cars, Ltd., and had a private aerodrome on his 6,300 acres country estate, Old Warren Park, near Biggleswade (Beds.). Before the war he owned a fleet of aeroplanes.

Mr. Shuttleworth had had several narrow escapes from death, and in 1936 he was seriously injured in the South African Grand Prix. He won the Mountain Championship at Brooklands in October, 1935, and the Donington Grand Prix the same year. He had competed in the King's Cup air race, and had given demonstration flights at air pageants.

Mr Shuttleworth, who was unmarried, took over his father's estate in 1932.

FRENCH SUPREME COURT

TO FIX BLAME FOR WAR

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

VICHY, Friday.

The composition of the newly-established Supreme Court of Justice, which is "to seek out and to try all persons having committed crimes or offences or failed in their duty in acts concerning the transition from a state of peace to a state of war," is published in to-day's official journal, says the Havas Agency. The Court is to meet at Riom next Thursday.

At Marquet, the Mayor of Bordeaux and Minister of the Interior, writing in the *Petit Parisien*, says: "Our poignant defeat is not fortuitous. It is not a blow of fate. It is connected with a whole political, administrative, economic, military and social system which has for a long time been riddled with incompetency. Organisations and men are responsible for this before the nation. The men will be judged in all fairness, without cruelty, but without weakness. The organisations will be remodelled and adapted to the new conditions of life in France and Europe."

LORRY OVERTURNS

SOLDIERS INJURED

Yesterday a lorry containing a party of military struck a bank on the roadside on the main Kilkenny-Waterford road, between Ballyhale and Mullinavat. The lorry overturned, and the occupants were thrown out. One of the soldiers is in a very critical condition, and a number of the others also was very seriously injured, and removed to Waterford City and County Infirmary. The lorry was completely wrecked.

TERRORISM IN SHANGHAI

RUSSIAN SHOT: BANK MANAGER KIDNAPPED

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SHANGHAI, Friday.

Gunmen to-day assassinated Mr. Charles Metzler, Chairman of the Russian Emigrants' Committee Relief Association, and kidnapped Mr. Sung Ching-Teen, manager of one of the biggest coal concerns in China. In addition, an attempt was made to assassinate Sung Zung-Doh, manager of the China State Bank, but the assassin's gun misfired.

Mr. Metzler was shot dead outside his home, and gunmen awaited Mr. Sung Zung-Doh outside his home and one of them aimed at him, but the weapon misfired. A Chinese constable who tried to stop them was wounded by a revolver shot.

Lord Beaverbrook Joins British War Cabinet

May Cease To Be Minister of Aircraft Production

LORD BEAVERBROOK, Minister of Aircraft Production, has joined the British War Cabinet.

This was announced from 10 Downing street last night in the following notice: "The Prime Minister has invited Lord Beaverbrook to be a member of the War Cabinet. For the time being Lord Beaverbrook will continue to be Minister of Aircraft Production."

Lord Beaverbrook, the newspaper proprietor was sixty-one last May. Illimitable energy and resource, fearlessness, an analytical mind and an engaging personality have made him one of Britain's foremost figures. This is the second war in which he has been called into special service. He was a success as Minister of Information at the latter end of the Great War.

Mr. Churchill's decision to strengthen his team by the inclusion of Lord Beaverbrook means that the War Cabinet is now increased in numbers from five members to six, writes the Press Association Lobby Correspondent.

The original members are:—

Mr. Churchill (Prime Minister and Minister of Defence).

Mr. Neville Chamberlain (Lord President of the Council).

Mr. C. R. Attlee (Lord Privy Seal).

Viscount Halifax (Foreign Secretary), and Mr. Arthur Greenwood (Minister without portfolio).

CABINET RANK

Lord Beaverbrook joined the Government on May 14 last as Minister of Aircraft Production—a position which carries "Cabinet rank" and a Cabinet salary of £5,000 a year, but did not hitherto carry with it membership of the War Cabinet.

It seems likely that Lord Beaverbrook will in due course relinquish the Ministry of Aircraft Production, and hand it over to someone else. The official *communiqué* hints at this by stating that "for the time being" Lord Beaverbrook will continue at the Ministry.

One of the main objects of the small War Cabinet was to ensure that a group of Ministers free from departmental work should be able to devote their whole time to the great problems of war planning and strategy.

A little later Lord Beaverbrook will no doubt come into line with the other members of the War Cabinet by transferring his present Ministry to another head.

Aircraft production was a newly-created department when he took it over. He was given sweeping powers to organise and co-ordinate the many interests involved, and he set out at once to speed up and expand the production of fighting 'planes.

Aircraft production in every category has gone leaping up. 'Planes from Canada and America and other countries overseas have also received his attention.

His appointment to the War Cabinet will come as a surprise to some, as of late there has been a recurrence of the rumour that Mr. Lloyd George was to join the Government.

DEATH SENTENCE ON GENERAL DE GAULLE

TREASON AND DESERTION CHARGES

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

CLERMONT FERRAND, Friday.

General de Gaulle has in his absence been sentenced to death by a Military Court, announces the Havas Agency. The sentence also includes military degradation and the confiscation of his property.

The charges against General de Gaulle were treason, an attempt against the safety of the State, and desertion to abroad in time of war.

MAY DISEMBARK AT BERMUDA

THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF WINDSOR

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENTS.

NEW YORK, Friday.

American Export Lines, owners of the liner Excalibur, in which the Duke and Duchess of Windsor are crossing the Atlantic, announced to-day that they understood that the liner would make a stop at Bermuda, indicating that the Duke and Duchess may disembark there.

The company added that they could not amplify their statement.

WASHINGTON, Friday.

Diplomatic circles here state that they have heard that the Duke and Duchess of Windsor are definitely not coming to the United States, but are disembarking at Bermuda.

IRISH GOVERNMENT'S PROTEST TO BERLIN

STEAMER BOMBED OFF COAST OF CORK

Had to Run Aground Near Kinsale

FOLLOWING a bombing attack by a German warplane on the Irish steamer Kerry Head, off the coast of Cork, on Thursday last, the Irish Government has lodged a protest with the German Government.

Compensation has been claimed in respect of damage caused to the vessel.

None of the crew was injured.

The attack took place at the entrance to Oyster-Haven, Co. Cork, and several bombs were near the ship.

The following statement has been issued by the Government Information Bureau on behalf of the Department of External Affairs:—

> The Irish-registered vessel S.S. Kerry Head was attacked on the 1st August near the entrance to Oyster-Haven, Co. Cork, by an aircraft identified as German. Several bombs were dropped near the vessel, which sustained some damage. None of the members of the crew was injured.
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> The Irish Chargé d'Affaires in Berlin has been instructed to lodge a protest with the German Foreign Office and to claim compensation for the damage caused.

The Kerry Head, owned by Messrs. Mullock and Sons, Limerick, is a vessel of 825 tons, and was built at Paisley. Her home port is Limerick. Originally she was named Simonside and later Furies.

THE BALKAN DISPUTE

Quick Decision Unlikely

RUMANIA TOLD TO SETTLE

WHILE the first step for the opening of direct negotiations concerning Hungarian and Bulgarian claims on Rumania is expected from the Rumanian Government within the next few days, the negotiations are likely to be long and difficult. There is a growing feeling against surrender of any more Rumanian territory.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

BUDAPEST, Friday.

M. Ilius Maniu, leader of the Rumanian Peasant Pary, which has 5,000,000 members, told his followers at a meeting to-day that Transylvania should be established as an autonomous State, "even if under Russian protection," rather than be returned to Hungary. The Peasant Party has sent a Note to London, Washington, Berlin and Rome protesting against any revision at Rumania's expense.

An earlier report from Budapest stated that King Carol of Rumania had agreed to take the initiative in the opening of the talks between Rumania, Bulgaria and Hungary. The decision was taken at the Crown Council meeting.

RUMANIA WARNED

After preliminary meetings between the Foreign Ministers there are certain to be proposals and counter-proposals needing detailed discussion. No result should, therefore, it is thought, be expected before the middle of September at the earliest. Budapest newspapers comment with indignation on what they consider "typical manœuvres" by the Rumanians to escape the concessions which are now believed to be inevitable.

A GERMAN HINT

Friday.

Rome radio to-night broadcast a dispatch from Berlin stating that the *Boersen Zeitung* warns the Rumanian statesmen that agreement must be found quickly with Rumania's neighbours who have claim on Rumanian territory. The newspaper emphasised that Germany does not like hearing phrases like "fighting to the last drop of blood."—(Associated Press.)

JAPAN BANS JAZZ

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

TOKYO, Friday.

Japan is to ban jazz music following the closing of dancing halls, the Japanese Home Office announces.

The ban will first be imposed on gramophone records of jazz music, it is understood.

FRENCH NOTES

REMOVAL FROM BELFAST TO LONDON

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Friday.

One hundred and twenty-one sacks of French franc notes were removed from the head office of the Belfast Bank at Waring street, Belfast, under armed guard. They were packed into furniture vans for removal to the Bank of England, where they arrived to-day.

The notes, which had an original value of over a million pounds, had been found in the cargo of a small French steamer unloading at Belfast early last month.

The ship had left Brest before the German occupation, and when the cargo was being unloaded at Belfast it was noticed that some of the sacks were very light in weight.

FROM "THE TIMES"

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

DELAYED BATTLE

The Times remarks editorially to-day:—

The German Government, through a number or channels, including Goering himself, is endeavouring to explain to its subjects why the onslaught on Britain is delayed. The explanation is probably found to be necessary, because so many of those to whom it is addressed are nightly harassed by the Royal Air Force, and because all Germany had been led to believe that the doom of the decadent Briton would be swift after the downfall of France. Accordingly Goering is put up to assert, through the pen of a neutral journalist, that his Air Force is stronger and his fuel reserves larger than when intense hostilities began, and this is only one of the hints that attack upon the grand scale is awaiting the moment when the Fuehrer is inspired to give the order.

The truth, however, appears to be that Hitler has found this country singularly unresponsive to the psychological preparation which has preceded and facilitated his assaults elsewhere. He has tried his best to create the impression of being an aggressor *malgré lui*, but this and other forms of the war of nerves have not worked. Yesterday he was reduced to the dropping by German aircraft of leaflets, reproducing his Reichstag speech, in the apparent delusion that our Press is as muzzled as his own. As a matter of fact, the English newspapers put their staffs to great inconvenience—owing to the unreasonably late hour of the delivery of his speech and to its prolixity—in order to record it fully on the morrow of its utterance. If he is really delaying his attack in the hope that he may be able to procure our destruction—for that is what peace with him would mean—without a battle, then that hope is wholly vain. For once time is on our side, and is being used to weigh the odds against him when the battle comes.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS

NO INTERIM DIVIDENDS AVAILABLE

The directors of the Great Southern Railways Company, at their meeting yesterday, had the accounts before them for the half-year ended 30th June, 1940, and regret that no interim dividends on the 4 per cent. Guaranteed Preference or on the Preference or Ordinary stock of the company are available.

A similar announcement was made at this time last year.

AUSTRALIAN LABOUR PARTY SPLIT

STATE EXECUTIVE SUSPENDED

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SYDNEY, Friday.

The Federal Executive of the Australian Labour Party has decided to suspend from office all members of the New South Wales Labour Party Executive, because of their opposition to the national emergency regulations. This has caused a split threatening both the State and Federal Parliamentary parties.

At a subsequent meeting the Federal Executive decided that the suspensions would not take effect until August 16, when Mr. John Curtin, the Federal Labour leader, addresses the State Executive in an attempt to heal the breach.

CZECH CABINET MEETS IN LONDON

The task of defining the precise functions of each member of the newly-formed Czech Cabinet, as a preliminary step necessary for the working of the Czech Parliament it is intended to call on British soil, was discussed at a meeting of the Cabinet in London yesterday.

FRENCH SOLDIERS ASKED TO RETURN

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

FRIDAY.

What is described as "a last appeal to return to France" is made by the French Government to French soldiers, sailors, and airmen who have left the country, according to the Lyons radio. They are enjoined to return immediately to France, and are informed that all must return before August 15 in order to "enjoy a certain indulgence."

FRENCH ARMY LOST 1,500,000 MEN

Rome radio reported from Vichy yesterday that a joint Franco-German committee had established that the French Army had suffered during the war the loss of 1,500,000 men killed and wounded.

The announcer said that the French newspapers pointed out that these figures proved that the armistice was inevitable.—(Associated Press.)

Armed Workers Ready For Invasion

Rehearsal of High-Speed Resistance

FROM R. N. WALLING, PRESS ASSOCIATION SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

H.Q., NORTHERN (ENGLAND) COMMAND, Friday.

THE armed industrial workers of the North enrolled in the Home Guard, and training side by side with the Regular Army, are ready to give Britain's answer to Hitler's "last appeal to reason," of which Southern England was given a leaflet example to-day.

Miners, munition workers and dockside employés, who flocked in their thousands to join the Home Guard in answer to the first radio appeal, are now, after ten weeks, rehearsing their "battle orders" with the Regular Army.

All forces doing duty together in Britain's biggest military command are training to defeat a German invasion by air as well as by sea, and great ingenuity is being shown in the conception and forging of new weapons with which to counter shock tactics.

A senior Staff officer was the first to testify to this answer during a 1,000-mile tour of defences from the Wash to the Tyne, which I have just completed.

AFFILIATED TO REGULAR ARMY

"Each of the Home Guard battalions of ——shire," he said, "is affiliated to a Regular Army unit, and this affiliation is real. If the necessity arises, we join with the soldiers in the battle of Britain."

The Home Guard will, however, not be required to manœuvre with the other forces. Their rôle in the case of an invasion will be the defence of their own homes, villages and towns. They will not be moved to protect families other than their own, for, as this officer put it, "we have our ammunition on the dining table and fight from there."

Northerners whom I met taking over guard—after working hours—before the grimy cities where they work and live, were tough and determined.

The Northern Command, faced with a many-sided problem of defence, North and South of the Humber, with one industrial belt close to or on the coast and another inland, is paying marked attention to aerial as well as sea invasion.

MOBILITY

In the Regular Army divisions mobility is aimed at above all else. Civilian 'buses have been commandeered for the speedy transport of troops.

An infantry brigade exercise I watched included the movement of a supporting battalion and its "de-bussing," while armoured units put up a protective screen of anti-aircraft fire against Royal Air Force dive-bombing.

Elsewhere there was a full-dress rehearsal of resistance to an attempt by parachute troops to capture one of the dozens of aerodromes with which this part of England is dotted.

Here again the Army and the Royal Air Force co-operated by strategic positioning of defence units round the "'drome." By the rapid arrival of armoured cars and a hail of protective fire from all sides the "enemy" force was quickly wiped out. The unexpected setting fire to one armoured vehicle, whose occupants scattered in all directions as the ammunition it contained began to explode, added an unrehearsed touch of realism to the scene, but, fortunately, a burnt arm was the only injury.

BARBED WIRE OBSTACLES

At a coastal resort the army tried out a plan for meeting rapidly a landing in one of the bays. A forward echelon of mobile reserve, mounted on a variety of fast-moving transport, was despatched pending the arrival of "embussed" infantry.

The "enemy" also gained a footing on another part of the beach, and pushed his attack under cover of a smoke screen fired from landing craft.

A counter-attack by local reserve troops was carried out to prevent the "enemy" gaining the top of the cliff across a golf course, where at the moment four tired business men were playing a round down a fairway flanked with barbed wire.

Defences have been prepared to meet an attack anywhere along that stretch of bold rolling cliff-line from the rear.

Barbed-wire obstacles were being laid to stem any rush of "enemy" troops landed from the air, and other secret defence positions were being laid and built up almost without alteration to the beautiful and innocent-looking landscape.

A little more obvious, but their exact meaning well obscured by all the tricks of the new art of camouflage, were beach defences, against which young women of the North knitted in the sun, with a fine unconcern for the terrors of war.

HIGH EXPLOSIVE SHELLS

High explosive shells which I watched bursting showed what the defences could do. The shooting of one Staffordshire battery—and they were firing their guns for the first time—was expert. All four shots sprayed a flag target near the shore.

General Sir Ronald Adam, Commander-in-Chief of the Northern Command, is confident that the people of the North will stand up and face any German shock, and like it. He told me: "I have been very heartened there. Miners, industrial workers, and, indeed, all the people of the country, have been magnificent. Their spirit—like their work—is simply amazing."

I asked one home guard man whether he thought Hitler was coming. "It'll be rather disappointing—a bit of a shame—if he doesn't," he replied.

"ALIENS," NOT "AGENTS"

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Friday.

The United States War Department stated to-day that the eighty-one men and women who had been detained in the Panama Canal zone were not "foreign agents," as announced by Mr. Stimson, Secretary of War, last night, but "aliens." It was explained that the mistake was due to an error in the transmission of a verbal report.

JAPANESE AIMS

"Now Headed for Serious Action"

U.S. IS GRAVELY CONCERNED

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

TOKYO, Friday.

THE Japanese newspapers to-day do not conceal their disappointment at the absence of a definition of Japan's policy in world affairs, though supporting the basic national policies enunciated yesterday by Mr. Matsuoka, the Foreign Minister.

The *Nichi Nichi Shimbun* expresses regret, "especially since Prince Konoye in a recent radio speech stated that his Cabinet would work out a long-range world policy."

The U.S. newspapers believe that Japan is now headed for serious action.

The *Asahi Shimbun* takes the view that the work done so far by Prince Konoye's Cabinet shows "a strong will-power to get things done," and thinks that if the Cabinet continues to push forward in this manner "the way will be paved for the realisation of solidarity in Greater Asia."

Referring to the diplomatic offensive hinted at by Mr. Matsuoka, the *Miyako Shimbun* says:—"He did not mention any specific country, but it should be clear to all which Powers are Japan's friends, and which are not."

U.S. CONCERNED

PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN SPECIAL.

WASHINGTON, Friday.

London's concern at the new turn in Japanese policy is shared here, though official comment is so far limited.

It is generaly believed that Japan has now removed her mask, and is officially admitting her desire to extend her control to Pacific territories, which are now under European sovereignty.

The *Washington Star* to-day says that the Japanese recently professed interest in the maintenance of the *status quo*. "Now Japan's true objective is revealed to be the domination of Indo-China and the Netherlands East Indies, and, perhaps, there will be a great deal more."

The newspaper adds that this attitude, no doubt, springs from belief in a German victory and American ineffectiveness.

The *Baltimore Sun* sees the United States as the only country with a free hand in the Pacific. Beyond stating that the execution of Mr. Matsuoak's plans will be a matter of very grave concern, however, neither paper suggests any American action. U.S. commentators generally agree that Japan is now definitely headed for serious action.

CHINESE VIEW

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CHUNKING, Friday.

The Chinese Press interprets the Japanese aims as follows:—1. The conquest of China. 2. Expansion into the South Seas. 3. Reorganisation of Japan's political and economic life on a Fascist pattern. 4. Intensive economic exploitation of the occupied areas in China.

The Press reaffirms China's determination to carry on the war, and urges foreign Powers with interests in the Far East to give China material assistance as "the only effective means of safeguarding their own interests."

POLISH VESSEL ESCAPES

PLAN TO SEIZE HER FOILED

A Polish merchant ship has been saved for service in the Allied cause through the determination and skill of its officers and crew. The 1,864 tons Polish steamer, Kroman, lying at Dakar, French West Africa, had been immobilised by the removal of a vital part of her machinery. One day last week her captain discovered that a number of Germans who had arrived in Dakar by air were trying to seize his ship. He determined on an attempt to break out of harbour to prevent his vessel falling into German hands, and by improvisation and engineering skill the engines of the Kroman were made to work, and the ship then escaped through the harbour defences. On reaching the open sea a course was set for a British port, where the vessel is now safe.

REPUBLIC OF MOLDAVIA FORMED

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

Friday.

A bill providing for the formation of a Moldavian Federal Soviet Republic was unanimously passed by the Soviet Parliament to-night, according to Moscow wireless. The new Republic will consist of the former Moldavian autonomous Soviet Republic and the greater part of Soviet-occupied Bessarabia.

The Bessarabian districts of Khotin, Akerman and Ismail, together with Northern Bukovina, were incorporated into the Ukrainian Soviet Republic under another bill passed to-night.

The Supreme Soviet then adjourned until to-morrow, when it will deal with the incorporation of the Baltic States.

AMERICAN SHIPS FOR BRITISH CHILDREN

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Friday.

Legislation permitting American ships to transport war refugee children was passed to-day by the House Rules Committee.

The legislation provides that such transport is subject to the American ships being granted a "safe conduct" by all belligerents. Any vessel engaged in such business would go to Europe without cargo, unarmed, and unconvoyed.

NEW INDIAN DEFENCE BONDS BOOM

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

SIMLA, Friday.

The first day's subscriptions for the new Defence Bonds amounted to over £8,500,000. This figure includes conversions which totalled about £6,500,000.

ITALIAN THREAT TO GIBRALTAR

"Italy will continue hammering Malta, Gibraltar and Alexandria until these bases either surrender or are completely destroyed," Rome radio announced yesterday, commenting on the Italian Headquarters' *communiqué*.—(Associated Press.)

BRITISH AIR ATTACKS

Fires Started in German Works

'PLANES LOST IN FIGHTS

THURSDAY'S British air activity included day and night raids on military objectives in Germany and Holland, and a daylight attack on the German-occupied aerodrome at Cherbourg.

The attacks resulted in the starting of extensive fires and in damage due to explosions.

BRITISH BOMBERS ACTIVE

The following *communiqué* was issued last night by the British Air Ministry:—

"Yesterday Royal Air Force bombers made daylight attacks on the aerodromes of Leeuwarden and Haamstede in Holland. A hangar was hit and enemy aircraft were machine-gunned on the ground. One of our aircraft is missing.

"During the night our bombers attacked synthetic oil plants at Gelsenkirchen, Kamen, Homburg, and Reisholz, near Dusseldorf; the Krupp works at Essen, supply dépôt at Hamm, Krefeld and Mannheim, and several aerodromes in north-west Germany.

"The damage inflicted on the oil targets is believed to be considerable. All our aircraft returned safely.

"It is now known that another enemy seaplane was destroyed in a combat with a British bomber on Wednesday."

GERMAN OBJECTIVES ATTACKED

EXTENSIVE DAMAGE

The attacks on German aerodromes and oil refineries, mentioned in the British *communiqué* above, were carried out in spite of low clouds and haze, states the Air Ministry News Service.

"The aerodromes at Leeuwarden, in North Holland, and Haamstede, on the Island of Schouwen, were attacked on Thursday afternoon by a small force of Royal Air Force bombers. At Haamstede, the crew of one of the raiders saw a newly completed hangar hit by one of their bombs. The remainder of the stick fell across the flying field. A few minutes after this attack, the rear gunner of this aircraft machine-gunned and damaged two Messerschmitt 109's which were on the ground, and stopped a lorry in its tracks with a further burst."

At Leeuwarden, attacks were also made on other Messerschmitts dispersed round the edge of the aerodrome. Here one of the raiders, to ensure that he was really over his objective, made three runs through the haze before dropping his bombs. No enemy fighters were encountered, but one of the attackers, emerging from a cloud-bank on his return journey, just missed a head-on collision with a German bomber. In the fraction of time which elapsed as the aircraft avoided each other the British pilot recognised the other machine as a Junker 88. He was even close enough to see splashes of mud on its wing, but so brief was the encounter that neither had time to fire.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES

"During the night, operations over Germany were again restricted by bad weather, but a few British bombers, of which only one failed to locate its target, bombed oil refineries at Gelsenkirchen, Kamen and Reisholz, in North-West Germany; the Krupps works at Essen, and railway sidings at Hamm and Mannheim.

"At Kamen and Reisholz the raiders were particularly successful. One of the pilots who attacked the oil plant at Kamen said: 'After we had dropped our bombs there were greenish flashes—evidence that the explosions were other than those of the bursting bombs—and many fires were started. The whole target was a mass of flames.' The last of the raiders reaching the objective, half an hour later, reported that he had caused an extension to the damage already done by further hits with the heavy bombs in the blazing area.

"In the raid on Reisholz bombs started a dozen fires, which merged into one big blaze. Other aircraft caused large explosions, and after further attacks great columns of smoke arose.

"In the same area another British aircraft saw in the distance an enemy aircraft diving to the ground in flames, hit apparently by its own anti-aircraft barrage.

"At Essen the Krupps Works were subjected to a five minutes' attack by a raider which scored several hits on the works, and started fires which could be plainly seen by the observer until at 11,000 feet the aircraft entered the clouds.

FIGHT WITH GERMAN 'PLANES

"On the way home, after attacking the aerodrome at Dortmund, another bomber encountered a twin-engined enemy aircraft a few miles north of The Hague. The enemy approached from above and behind. As soon as the enemy aircraft came within four hundred yards the British rear gunner returned his opponent's fire and set his starboard wing alight. 'The machine,' the rear gunner reported, 'then climbed steeply and stalled.' A small piece of the starboard wing fell away in flames, and immediately afterwards flames were seen spreading along the leading edges of both wings; but the final result of the encounter was unobserved."

DAYLIGHT ATTACK ON CHERBOURG

The British Air Ministry yesterday announced:—

"A strong force of aircraft of the Coastal Command made a successful daylight attack on the German-occupied aerodrome at Cherbourg yesterday (Thursday). The attack was pressed home in the face of very heavy anti-aircraft fire. Three of our bombers are missing."

RAID ON ITALIAN AERODROME

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

NAIROBI, Friday.

The Official War *communique* issued here to-night states:—

"A quiet day on all fronts.

"Further details of the bombing of the aerodrome of Yavello—mentioned briefly in yesterday's *communique*—disclose extensive damage to hangars and a bomb dump, and at least three enemy aircraft were damaged on the ground.

"No opposition other than light automatic ground defence was encountered. All our machines returned safely.

"One enemy machine attempted to bomb Buna, but, on being engaged, turned tail and jettisoned its bomb load in the bush. There was no damage and no casualties.

FRENCH-SWISS BORDER CLOSED

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

GENEVA, Friday.

The German Army of Occupation to-day issued orders closing the French-Swiss border from Geneva to Basle. The new order becomes effective on Monday, and bans even the passage of farm workers and farm owners with property and jobs in villages across the frontiers.

"THERE IS FAMINE IN EUROPE"

U.S. NEWSPAPER'S STATEMENT

DISASTER SAID TO BE IMMINENT

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

NEW YORK, Friday.

"A famine is not imminent in Europe—it is already there," declares the *New York Sun*. This, the paper says, is the conclusion reached by experts after a careful survey.

"Half the population of the area round Warsaw—aggregating between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000 people—it is feared are starving already. Among the countries under a particularly serious menace of famine are Belgium, Holland, Norway, Denmark and France."

The paper also says that the survey has been jointly made by the Commission for Relief in Belgium and the Commission for Polish Relief. In the part of Poland around Warsaw a thousand persons are said to be dying of starvation daily, the paper adds. "This, it must be emphasised, is merely the forerunner of what is in store for other nations of Europe, unless conditions improve before next winter."

"DISASTER"

"Of special interest to America with regard to these countries is their dependence in past years on the American Continent for important food staples. A disaster of the first order is imminent is the conclusion of the American experts who have surveyed the situation."

DENMARK WARNED

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

BERLIN, Friday.

The Danish Minister of Trade has stated, according to a German News Agency despatch from Copenhagen, that in the coming winter it would be impossible to avoid "intervention in matters concerning daily life" in an even greater degree than before.

Everything pointed to the fact, the Minister said, that butter and other fats, gas and electric light, and several other necessities would have to be rationed.

Danish economic life must get used to the fact that the country's production must be disposed of wholly to the South—*i.e.*, Germany—and that all necessary raw materials must be acquired from the South and the East.

RATIONING IN FRANCE

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

CLERMONT FERRAND, Friday.

France must submit to still greater restrictions in the consumption of meat, said the Minister of Agriculture, M. Caziot, in an interview quoted by the Havas Agency. There would also, he said, be very severe rationing of milk and butter as a consequence of the lack of fuel for transport. Measures were being taken to equip vehicles with charcoal burning devices. With regard to edible oil the position was even more difficult, since the whole of this commodity came from the Colonies, and transport was now faced with all kinds of difficulties. Eighty per cent. of France's sugar supply came from the regions the most severely affected by the war, and the import of sugar from the Colonies met with the same difficulties as applied to oil. The wine crop, he said, promises to be excellent.

Further restrictions concerning meals served in restaurants were announced last night by Lyons radio. No meat, including pork products, such as ham and sausages, rabbits or poultry may henceforth be served after 3 p.m. Meals containing a meat course may not include fish or cheese, except on Sundays or public holidays.

SHOPKEEPERS ADVISED TO LAY IN STOCKS

NEWCASTLEWEST MEETING

Mr. J. J. Berkery, County Commissioner, addressed a meeting at Newcastlewest, at which the chairman (Mr. M. Culhane) and members of the Town Commissioners were present. The Right Rev. Monsignor Hannan, P.P., V.G., presided.

Mr. Berkery urged wholesale and retail shopkeepers to lay in stocks of food and fuel for six months. If the country was attacked they should see there was no evacuation of the district, except under direct instructions of the military.

The usual direct communications with places like Limerick might be cut off, and they should arrange to have relays of cyclists to take their place. He did not come down there to create a panic or cause any such thing as a scare, but the Government thought it was very urgent to prepare to meet any dangers that might threaten.

In reply to Mr. McAuliffe, the Commissioner said that the poor were the most important from their point of view, and no one would be allowed to go hungry.

The Chairman said that it was very important for them to get traders to lay in all the supplies they could as they could not possibly know when goods from abroad would be stopped.

SALMON COMMANDER AND 40 OTHERS MISSING

Commander E. O. Bickford, D.S.O., Commander of the submarine Salmon, four other officers and 36 ratings are reported in a casualty list issued by the Admiralty yesterday.

H.M.S. Salmon—the loss of which was reported last month—after penetrating the minefields of Heligoland Bight, torpedoed the Leipzig and another German cruiser, believed to the the Bluecher. Before this exploit Commander Bickford had, in obedience to international law, spared the German liner Bremen when he could have torpedoed her.

For the Heligoland action, Lieutenant-Commander Bickford, as he was then, was promoted Commander and awarded the D.S.O. Three of his officers were awarded the D.S.C., and eight of the crew the D.S.M.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Potato Blight.—The Agricultural Officer for County Louth reports that he has found potato blight in fields near Dundalk. The Committee has urged farmers to spray the potato crop without delay.

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The Magistracy.—The following have been appointed to the magistracy for County Fermanagh:—Mr. Mervyn D. Archdale, Castle Archdale; Captain G. M. Irvine, M.C., Killadeas; Mr. W. J. Karr, Killadeas, and Mr. J. W. Creighton, Ballinamallard.

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Wage Increase.—Porters, packers, motormen and helpers employed by Messrs. Cavendish and Co., Ltd., have secured increases in wages of 4s. per week. The increases were secured as a result of negotiations between the union and the management of the firm.

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Bakers Ask Higher Wages.—A demand for increased wages has been served on the master bakers by the Bakers', Confectioners' and Allied Trades' Amalgamated Union, it is stated. The master bakers have been given until next Saturday week to consider the demand.

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Labourers' Wages Increased.—At a conference between building contractors and representatives of the Ennis Labour Association it was agreed that an increase of one penny per hour be paid to builders' labourers. The existing rate of pay was one shilling per hour. The new rate will come into effect on the resumption of work after the annual holidays in August.

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New Belfast Solicitor.—A new Belfast solicitor, Mr. David Gordon, was introduced by Mr. James Beaton to Mr. W. F. McCoy, K.C., R.M., in the Belfast Summons Court yesterday. Mr. Gordon served his apprenticeship with Mr. John Johnston, in whose service he is continuing. His worship welcomed Mr. Gordon and expressed the hope that he would have a successful career.

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Dublin Cattle Market Day.—Disapproval of a suggestion to change the Dublin cattle market day was expressed at a meeting of the Dublin salesmasters, at which Mr. John Taylor (J. Taylor and Co.) presided, and at which a letter from the City Manager was considered. The letter stated that the City Manager was considering changing the day of market from Thursday to some day earlier in the week, a move which the salesmasters decided would be detrimental to the market and to the trade.

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Northern Potato Prices.—The Ulster Farmers' Union is lodging a strong protest against the low level of prices fixed for the next two months to growers of potatoes by the Ministry of Food. Wages and other costs have increased considerably, and still are rising, and farmers are alarmed at the prospect of potatoes, their principal cash crop, having to be marketed at pre-war prices. The prices announced, they declare, are below the economic level. Similar action of protest is being made by the National Farmers' Unions of England, Wales and Scotland. Unless prices are advanced the growers state that it will materially affect next year's production arrangements. Prices of potatoes in Belfast market yesterday were: British Queens, Arran Victors, Arran Pilots and Ballydoon, 4s. to 6s. per cwt.

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The Irish Red Cross.—A Red Cross branch was formed in Bruff, with the following officers:—President, The Right Rev. Monsignor Begley, P.P., V.G.; Vice-Presidents—the Rev. J. Carroll, C.C., and Mrs. Kirby. Hon. Treasurer, Mr. D. McDonald; Hon. Secretary, Mr. T. A. O'Doherty. Committee—Mrs. Leo, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Herr, Mrs. Haines, Mrs. J. O'Rourke, Miss M. Heffernan, Miss Duhig, Mr. H. Wheelar, Mr. Patrick Dempsey, and Mr. Murphy. Lectures on first aid will be given by Dr. T. Wolfe. In Louth a branch of the Red Cross has been formed. Dr. J. Faul has charge of the class. More than 100 members of the Dundalk branch of the Red Cross will soon have completed their first aid courses, carried out in the Dundalk Technical Schools. By a golf competition, which they held in aid of the Irish Red Cross, the Dundalk Ladies' Golf Club realised more than £10. A collection organised by Mrs. Smallwood on behalf of the Red Cross was made at the Tuam race meeting yesterday, and resulted in a very substantial sum being realised.

LOCAL SECURITY FORCE

INSTRUCTION TO ENNIS BANKS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Friday.

Two Ennis banks have received letters from their head offices directing that members of the staff over 30 years of age should not join the Local Security Force. In the case of the Provincial Bank, it is stated that a direction was also received to the effect that those of the staff over 30 who had joined should resign.

The Munster and Leinster Bank staff were informed that if any member over 30 already had joined the force he could remain in it. The National Bank received no instruction in the matter up to the present, and the Bank of Ireland staff were unofficially informed that members over 30 should not join the force. Keen disappointment has been created among bankers by the new instruction.

Seven members of the Provincial Bank are members of the Security Force and six will have to resign if the instruction is not altered.

Four members of the National Bank staff are in the force, three members of the Munster and Leinster Bank, and one member of the Bank of Ireland.

BANK OFFICIALS AND L.S.F.

Referring to the restrictions by the banks of Eire on employés over 30 years old joining the "A" group, Local Security Force, an official of the Irish Bankers' Joint Committee said yesterday that there was no hard and fast rule on the matter.

Instructions, he said, had been issued from the head offices of the various banks to their branches throughout the country, and the question of men over 30 joining the "A" group of the L.S.F. was left to the discretion of the managers of the banks concerned.

The official stated that in provincial branches where there were small staffs and 75 per cent. of these joined the "A" group, the banks would not be able to carry on should these men be called out in the case of an emergency.

If the manager of any individual bank found it possible he would allow a man over 30 years of age to join the "A" group. The banks, of course, were an essential service.

TORPEDOED IN ATLANTIC

CORK MEN'S ORDEAL

Two Cork men who were passengers aboard a ship which was torpedoed in the Atlantic Ocean a week ago, with the loss of thirty lives, have arrived in the city. Both managed to get into a lifeboat and were later picked up by a coal boat, which also rescued about 140 other people from the ill-fated ship.

Interviewed on their arrival yesterday, one of them told how when a torpedo struck the ship the passengers were all sitting at lunch. A terrible explosion followed, but in orderly fashion the people hurried to the lifeboats. The ship then took a bad list, and on reaching the lifeboats it was discovered that three of them had been blown up.

"I saw a horrible scene," said one of them, "when several people were climbing down a rope ladder and it suddenly broke, hurling the people against the ship's side. Five of them were killed in this incident."

FEMALE SORTING ASSISTANTS.
Next Exam. Oct., 1940. Oral and Postal Classes will commence work 13th August.—SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green. —(Advt.)

A.R.P. IN DUBLIN

INSTRUCTIONS IN TWENTY CENTRES

LECTURES ON FIRST AID

Courses of A.R.P. instruction for the public will be given in twenty centres in Dublin, beginning next Tuesday. The course will comprise lectures of an hour's duration each night, for three nights, beginning at 8 p.m.

The first two lectures are devoted to the methods and weapons of attack; how to obtain protection from the effects of high explosive bombs, and the methods of dealing with incendiary bombs; the local air-raid precautions organisation, and the location of the air-raid precautions service in each area.

The third lecture deals with first-aid, and will be delivered by a doctor from the St. John Ambulance Brigade.

The lectures will be held in the following centres:—

Phibsborough — St. Peter's N.S. Hall, Tuesday (two lectures) and Friday. Botanic avenue N.S.—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Liffey street, W., N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Griffith avenue Girls' N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Jones's road N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Philipsburgh avenue N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Marlborough street, Central Model School—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Rutland street, Lower, St. Patrick's N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Sherrard street, Lower, N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Suffolk Hall (formerly known as St. Andrew's N.S.)—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Harrington street, the C.Y.M.S. Hall—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Werburgh street, the Werburgh Hall—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. John street N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Keogh square C.B.S. —Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Rushy Park road, Zion Schools—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Sandford road, Sandford N.S.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Irishtown National Girls' Schools—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Northumberland road N.S. —Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Gilford road, Sandymount, the United Services' Hall —Tuesday (two lectures) and Friday. Crumlin road Convent N.C.—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

LATE NEWS

BULGARIAN CLAIMS ON DOBRUDJA

GERMAN MINISTERS AT SOFIA

ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM.

SOFIA, Friday.

The Bulgarian Cabinet conferred to-night, following a meeting between M. Ivan Popoff, the Foreign Minister, and M. Filotti, the Rumanian Minister in Sofia. It was reliably reported to have chosen its delegation to go to Bucharest to negotiate on the Bulgarian claims to Southern Dobrudja. Official quarters were noticeably impatient over the delay in starting talks with Rumania since the Salzburg meeting with Hitler, and it was stated that additional cavalry hd been moved up to the Rumanian border.

The German radio reported to-night that Herr Franz von Papen, German Ambassador to Turkey, and Baron von Richthofen, German Minister to Bulgaria, had arrived back in Sofia to-day by air.

The Minister to Bulgaria left Sofia last week to be present at the Bulgarian Ministers' talks with Herr Hitler at Salzburg, and was preceded a few hours by von Papen, who had stopped at Sofia on his way to Germany from Ankara.

Von Papen, according to the German radio, will continue his journey to Ankara to-morrow (Saturday). "The situation in South-Eastern Europe will be further consolidated," he is quoted as saying on his arrival.

ROME'S PEACE FEELER

SUGGESTED EFFORT BY THE POPE

ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM.

ROME, Friday.

The Rome Radio suggested to-day that the Pope was to try again to secure peace, following the failure of Hitler's "appeal to reason," by an offer of mediation.

Although hastening to disclaim any Italian Government participation in such moves, the announcer mentioned a "rumour" that the British Minister to the Holy See, Mr. Francis Darcy Osborne, had left for London on Thursday with "a new Vatican effort to mediate in this war." He said that the rumour arose from the fact that the wives of the British and French Envoys to the Vatican had left for their homes, and he added that there was no confirmation of Mr. Osborne's departure.

GERMAN RAIDER OVER SOUTH-EAST ENGLAND

A lone German raider crossed the South-East coast of England last night, and was picked up, flying low, in the beams of searchlights. Machine-gun fire drove the 'plane back to sea, and guns could be heard in action. No bombs were dropped.

Aircraft were believed to have been over a coastal district in North-West England. Searchlights swept a wide area, but no bombs were dropped, and there was no anti-aircraft fire.

ALCANTARA ALMOST READY TO SAIL

RIO DE JANEIRO, Friday.

The Alcantara, which put in here for repairs yesterday, after her engagement with the German raider in the South Atlantic, will be ready to leave either on Sunday night or early on Monday. Her damage is small, according to an authoritative source here.—(Press Association War Special.)

PETAIN CABINET AND BRITISH BLOCKADE

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

VICHY, Friday.

At a meeting of the Pétain Cabinet here to-day, Ministers heard a statement on the international situation bearing on events in the Cameroons and Madagascar, and on the blockade of French territory announced by Britain.

The Cabinet "approved decisions taken in consequence of the situation thus created," says the Havas Agency.

IRISH VEGETABLE AND FRUIT EXPORTS

Imports from Eire of preserved fruit or vegetables in air-tight containers will require separate licences after August 5, the British Board of Trade announced last night.

This excludes fruit pulps, jam and marmalade, but includes vegetable pickles preserved in vinegar. Also from August 5 the open general licence authorising import of malt extracts and methyl alcohol will be revoked, and separate licences to import will be required.

N.U.I. MATRICULATION.
June, 1940. 10 SUCCESSES. Class for Sept. Exam. now forming. — McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 5 Gardiner's Row, Dublin. —(Advt.)

BRITISH VESSELS SUNK

TEN 'PLANES SHOT DOWN

GERMAN AND ITALIAN CLAIMS

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

BERLIN, Friday.

To-day's German High Command *communiqué* states:—"Lieutenant-Captain Wilhelm Rollmann has sunk an enemy submarine with his U-boat. This U-boat has thereby destroyed in two expeditions within a very short time twelve armed enemy merchantmen totalling 74,338 tons; the British destroyer, Whirlwind, and one submarine.

"In the South Atlantic an engagement between a German auxiliary cruiser and the British auxiliary cruiser, Alcantara, took place. In this engagement the super-heavily armed enemy ship of 22,209 tons received serious hits, particularly in the engine room, so that the battle was broken off and refuge sought in the harbour of Rio de Janeiro. The German auxiliary cruiser continued on its way, carrying out its tasks according to plan.

"German fighter units attacked with bombs a few small convoys on August 1st, as well as several armed merchantmen travelling alone, off the Humber estuary, in St. George's Channel, and off Yarmouth. In one action a merchant vessel was sunk. Two further merchantmen, a tanker and a minesweeper were severely damaged by bombs. In addition, a very effective attack was carried out on an aeroplane factory in Norwich.

"Bombs of heavy calibre dropped from a low altitude landed in the workshops, causing fierce fires and several explosions. One of our aeroplanes destroyed an enemy submarine on July 31 in Norwegian waters.

"During the course of yesterday afternoon eight British bomber 'planes of the Bristol-Blenheim type attempted an attack on the airport at Querqueville, near Cherbourg. By the timely intervention of fighter aircraft and A.A. defence guns we succeeded in shooting down all eight 'planes, three by Messerschmitt fighters and five by A.A. fire. We suffered no losses.

"During an attempted attack on Dutch territory two further Bristol-Blenheim 'planes were shot down in air combat.

"During the night of August 1 British 'planes again flew over Western Germany. The bombs dropped caused no military damage, but house property in the neighbourhood of Cologne was considerably damaged, and bombs also killed and wounded several civilians.

"Enemy aeroplane losses on August 1 amounted to a total of 10 'planes. One of our own 'planes is missing."

ITALIAN CLAIMS

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

ROME, Friday.

To-day's Italian *communiqué* states:—

"An enemy naval squadron coming from Gibraltar, and composed of two battleships, two aircraft carriers, and some minor ships, was attacked by an Italian bomber formation south of the island of Formentera, in the Balearic group, and heavily bombed in spite of intense enemy anti-aircraft fire.

"Some of the enemy warships were certainly hit, among which was one of the battleships. A fire was seen to break out in this battleship. One Italian 'plane failed to return.

"Last night the Italian destroyer, Vivaldi, rammed and torpedoed in the centre of the Ionian Sea the British submarine Oswald of 1,500 tons, sinking it. The Oswald was armed with a 120mm. cannon and eight torpedo tubes. Of the crew, which totalled fifty-five men, fifty-two were saved by the Italian destroyer. Among the saved is the commander, Mr. David Fraser. All the saved men are unhurt.

"In East Africa, Italian 'planes bombed Butana, in the Sudan. Near Kassala (on the Sudan-Eritrea border) Italian 'planes attacked enemy armoured cars with shrapnel, destroying eight, and machine-gunned the escaping crews. Italian forces occupied Devel, thirty-five miles south of Moyale, repulsing a violent enemy counter-attack and inflicting heavy losses.

"Enemy 'planes bombed Diredawa, in Abyssinia, without result. Other enemy bombings of Javello, Asmara and Massawa (all in Eritrea) caused only slight damage to an aeroplane shed, which was empty at the time. One Italian and one native were killed. There were also a few wounded. Two enemy 'planes were shot down."

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

ARMED ROBBERY CHARGE

ACCUSED MAN REMANDED AGAIN

(BEFORE MR. HANNAN.)

Robert Joseph Murphy (39), Leix road, Cabra, who appeared on remand, charged with armed robbery of £500 10s. at the Cornmarket branch of the Royal Bank of Ireland on May 15 last, was again remanded for a week.

Further charges against him were assault, and having a firearm with intent to endanger life; having an automatic pistol and seven rounds of ammunition without a certificate, at O'Connell street, Dublin, on July 15 last; and having twenty-nine sticks of gelignite, five detonators and thirteen feet of fuse at 35 Gardiner street.

Superintendent Stapleton, Civic Guard Headquarters, stated that the pistol and ammunition and the detonators and gelignite were in good condition.

William E. Mordant, cashier in the Cornmarket branch of the Royal Bank of Ireland, gave further evidence, and stated that after the raider had left the bank he went out, but did not see anybody like the man who took the money. He gave particulars about how the money was made up, and said that eight £1 notes produced in Court were some of the missing money.

At an identification parade on July 15 he identified Murphy, he said, as the man who raided the bank.

Cross-examined by Mr. Herbert Hare (instructed by Mr. J. C. Erskine), who appeared for Murphy, the witness said that the raider backed slowly out of the bank. There were nine officials present at the time. There was no excitement.

Mr. J. A. Geary, solicitor (Chief State Solicitor's Office), prosecuted.

IRISH ENTERTAINMENT TRADE BENEVOLENT FUND

The first general meeting of the Irish Entertainments Trade Benevolent Fund was held in the Metropole Restaurant on July 30. The Council of Management elected for the ensuing year is as follows:—Hon. President, L. E. Ging; Vice-President, Walter McNally; Chairman, Louis Elliman; Hon. Secretary, Robert E. McKew; Hon. Treasurer, Goff Nash.

Committee—P. J. Whelan, Patrick Farrell, Joe Stanley, John Fagan, Colman Conroy, George Jay, T. Hardiman, Joe Rackow, Frank Rodway. Trustees—Maurice Elliman, John J. Robinson, Alfred G. Neville. Auditors—Kevans and Son.

The balance sheet, since the commencement of the fund up to June 30, 1940, was read and approved, and members congratulated the committee on their excellent work. In the honorary secretary's report, Mr. Robert C. McKew stated there were 114 members in this society, and that before the end of the year he had reason to believe the number would be 200. The funds of this society would be invested in Government securities.

HE HID IN HAYSTACK

Persuading a Franchman to exchange clothes with him, Lance-Corporal John Lee Warner, taken prisoner by the Germans, states that he buried himself in a haystack. When the other prisoners were taken off the next day he was left behind, and has now reached home.

WHERE DISTRICT JUSTICES FAIL

FEW CASES SENT TO "BOARDING SCHOOLS"

AMENDMENT OF THE LAW SUGGESTED

In a conversation with an *Irish Times* reporter the Senior Justice, Mr. E. J. Little, said that the position with regard to Industrial and Reformatory Schools was not properly understood by a large number of his colleagues nor by the County Councils.

"When I say a large number of my colleagues I have before me," said Mr. Little, "a full list of the thirty-three Justices in the country, and you will be surprised to know that of the thirty-three as many as eleven have not exercised the jurisdiction given them under the Act to protect children in more than ten or twelve cases in twelve months. You will find another seven who did not extend their jurisdiction in more than twenty cases, and the remainder did not exercise them to any extent at all.

"Of course, County Councils, to a large extent, oppose committal through their solicitors, because they consider it is a charge on the counties, and they regard it as their duty to keep the county charges as low as possible. In the main, the District Justices understand their responsibilities and that they are bound to consider the interests of the children. It must be remembered always that the success or failure of the fifty-one miscalled industrial schools depends upon the Justices, because no child can get admission to these schools without an order from a Justice sending such child to a school. Solicitors for the County Councils regard such an order as interference with the rights of parents and with the sanctity of family life, but there is a great deal of oratory in which mistiness is void of wisdom. Each case must be measured in the light of the environment and the circumstances which the evidence presents—in other words, on its own merits. So much, then, for the operation of the Children Act.

NOT BRANDED

"It is alleged, in an article appearing last week or the week before in the *Standard* over the name of Mr. Seumas O'Farrell, that the children are marked as criminals when sent to industrial schools and that they are committed in police courts. Well, the answer to that is that no child should be taken from the custody of its parents or deprived of its liberty unless by the order of some court; and these cases, certainly in Dublin, are not heard in court at all, but in the Justice's chamber, and they are heard in that parental and careful manner in which the exercise of such jurisdiction should be taken. That is the answer to Mr. O'Farrell.

"To a certain extent Mr. O'Farrell is right, but only to a limited extent, when he says that children over sixteen years of age on what would in the case of adults be crime charges, are convicted and sent to reformatories.

"I am totally opposed to convicting any child, and I think that that provision in the Statute requires amendment. Without any conviction being recorded against them, such young persons, if they have failed in that way by breaking and entering houses, larceny, and so forth, should simply be sent to a senior boarding school—no conviction should be made. It is a mistake to convict them—they should be sent to a boarding school. These places should not be called industrial schools, because that term is unhappily associated with criminal institutions. They should be called national boarding schools, junior and senior. That would be the solution of the whole question."

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE ACT

Another important matter on which the Senior Justice dwelt was the School Attendances Act.

"I regret to say," commented Mr. Little, "that, with the exception of Dublin, the School Attendance Act is almost a dead letter. The number of children sent to boarding schools in the last year under the School Attendance Act in Dublin was ninety. The number sent to such schools from the remaining twenty-eight county areas was twenty-four. In my opinion, an ordinary member of the Garda force, when he finds a child of school-going age about the streets during school hours, should be allowed to take that child to its home, question its parents as to why the child is not at school, and should have the right to take out a summons before the Justice to show cause why the child was not at school."

AUCTION SALES

BATTERSBY AND CO.

To-day, in our auction columns, Messrs. Battersby and Co. announce some very interesting forthcoming sales of residential property, schools, live stock, agricultural machinery, also school equipment and furniture, to take place during the next few weeks. On Thursday next they will offer, at their salerooms, the attractive, semi-detached, pre-war residence, No. 5 Casimir road, Harold's Cross, with clear possession. A very important series of sales will be held at St. Joseph's, Clondalkin, commencing on Monday, 19th August, when the firm will first offer this valuable property in four lots comprising some 96 acres of first-class land and on the same and following days they will sell the live stock, poultry, agricultural machinery and implements, growing crops, hay; also the school furniture and equipment, library of books, furniture, garden effects, etc. On Thursday 22nd August they will offer, at their salerooms the valuable building site at No. 10 Cathal Brugha street, only a few yards off Upper O'Connell street; whilst on Friday, 23rd August, they will hold a sale of the valuable contents of "Cherryfield," Templeogue, the residence and lands having been disposed of. Full details will be found in our auction columns.

MESSRS. JACKSON STOPS AND McCABE

Messrs. Jackson Stops and McCabe are offering for sale on Wednesday next, 7th inst., the fully-licensed premises known as O'Donnell's Hotel, Delgany, and formerly called the Sea View Hotel. The hotel is for sale as a going concern, and the furniture and stock can be taken over by the purchaser at a valuation. On Wednesday, 21st inst., they will offer for auction a magnificent property in County Meath, known as Riverstown, Dulek. This is ideally suitable for a hunting man, being situated in the centre of the hunting country; a compact, picturesque little property, ready for immediate occupation. Also included in the list for this date is "Glenavy," 16 Westbourne road, Rathfarnham, an attractive modern detached residence. Of particular interest to investors are the three lots of property which the firm offers for auction on 28th August. They are comprised of well-constructed shops, with flats above, fully let, in excellent condition, and producing profit rents totalling approximately £310 per annum.

MESSRS. T. DOCKRELL, SONS AND CO.

On Wednesday next this firm will dispose of the furniture at 32B Harold's Cross road, commencing at 12 noon. On Thursday, 8th inst., they will hold their next property auction at their salerooms, South Great George's street, at 1.15 p.m., when the following lots will be offered:—A profit rent of £42 17/ per annum out of the premises 46 South Richmond street, consisting of shop and two flats overhead; 17 Warrington place, close to Mount Street Bridge, a soundly-built house in a convenient position, ideal as a private residence or boarding-house; a profit rent of £75 14/6 per annum out of lands and premises situate partly on north and south side of South Circular road, Dolphin's Barn, including the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain and Ireland; this is a gilt-edge investment; Hollyville, Palmerstown, a freehold detached two-basement property situate on the main Lucan road, with excellent 'bus service; 16 Hollybank avenue, Sandford road, a modern non-basement brick-built house, in a quiet residential district, convenient to all services; 1 Maxwell road Rathgar, a semi-detached pre-war brick-built non-basement house, a profit rent of approximately £121 9/8, arising out of 97 and 98 Lower Gardiner street and 110, 111, and 112 Railway street. On Friday, 9th inst., they will hold an auction of house and furniture on the premises at 85 Grosvenor square, Rathmines. This is a non-basement pre-war brick-built house, situate in a convenient position. The house will be sold at 12 o'clock and the furniture immediately afterwards. On Wednesday and Thursday, 14th and 15th August, they will hold an important auction at the Engineers' Hall, 35 Dawson street, of the leasehold interest, good-will and fittings in respect of the premises 34 Exchequer street; also the valuable stock of old Irish and antique silver Sheffield plate, Waterford glass, showcases, glass-top counters, and fireproof safe. The premises will be offered for sale at 12 noon, and the furniture immediately afterwards.

MESSRS. CORRIGAN AND CO.

The sale advertised by this firm is scheduled to take place on Wednesday, 28th instant, and it includes valuable investment property, comprised of tenanted houses and a ground rental lasing out of adjoining property, the property itself being situated at Navan road, near Cabra. The sale is by order of the executors of Peter Kelly, deceased. The next lot is the sale of a cottage-style house, with possession known as No. 10 Connaught street, Phibsborough.

ARTILLERY TO SHELL BRITAIN

GERMAN BIG GUNS IN POSITION

"NO NEED FOR SERIOUS ALARM"

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

LONDON, Friday.

In authoritative quarters in London to-day the idea that Germany is making preparations for laying down an artillery barrage over the English Channel was rather "pooh-poohed."

It was stated that there was no need for serious alarm. As far as the information at present in the possession of the British military authorities is concerned, it would appear that while there is nothing to prevent the Germans employing long-range guns opposite the coasts of England, they would be found ineffective, unless the Germans are in possession of some long-range artillery of which Britain is quite unaware.

It was pointed out that Britain could also put in long-range guns on her coast and bombard Northern France if she cared to dissipate her money in such futile attempts.

GUNS PLACED

"It is undoubtedly true that the Germans have placed guns along the coasts of Northern France and Belgium, but not on the scale that has been suggested in certain reports. There is nothing to prevent them putting guns there which could fire across the Channel. The range is quite a feasible proposition, from a gunnery point of view, but a gun fired at so great a range would not be very accurate.

"These types of guns possess certain feminine qualities—one never knows what they will do next. With guns of that kind the only form of observation would be from the air, and it is practically certain that the British Air Force would not tolerate artillery observation 'planes flying up and down the Channel just off Dover. So British people have no need to be frightened at the German threat to reduce the Channel ports to dust."

DOLLAR SECURITY HOLDERS

MUST GIVE DETAILS TO GOVERNMENT

Under an Emergency Powers Order, made by the Minister for Finance, all owners of U.S.A. dollar or Canadian dollar securities are required, under penalty, to make a return of these holdings to the Department of Finance before the 1st September next.

The order, which is entitled Emergency Powers (Finance) (No. 5) Order, 1940, applies equally to securities held outside the State as to securities held in Eire.

Details of all securities payable or conferring the right to require payment in U.S.A. or Canadian dollars, must be returned, and all Irish residents who have the power to sell or transfer such securities, or who have custody of them, or who receive, whether on their own behalf or on behalf of another person, dividends or interest on them, or who have any interest whatever in them, are deemed to be owners for the purpose of the order.

Banks and stockbrokers will, on request, supply copies of the form on which the return should be made and will advise generally on the making of the return.

Failure to comply with the terms of the order will render the offender liable to heavy penalties, including the forfeiture of the securities.

DUBLIN (SOUTH) CITY MARKET CO.

SATISFACTORY INCREASE IN RENTAL

The 127th half-yearly general meeting of shareholders of the Dublin (South) City Market Company was held yesterday at the offices of the company, Fade street, Dublin. Mr. H. L. Pim, chairman, presided. The other directors present were:—Messrs. Jonathan Pim junr.; Harry B. Pollock, D.S.O., and C. H. West.

The Chairman moved the adoption of the report and statement of accounts, and said that there has once more been a satisfactory increase in the rental for the past half-year, and the working expenses being practically the same as in the corresponding half of 1939 the directors are enabled to recommend the usual dividend of 4s. 6d. per share, subject to deduction of income tax, leaving, after the transfer of £500 to the contingencies fund, £5,574 5s. 1d. to be carried forward, against £5,192 0s. 6d. brought in to the net revenue account at the commencement of the half-year.

Mr. H. B. Pollock seconded, and the motion was adopted.

Messrs. H. L. Pim and C. H. West, retiring directors, were re-elected. Messrs. R. Stanley Stokes and Francis H. Pim were re-elected auditors.

PAPAL DIPLOMATS ABROAD

VATICAN CITIZENSHIP DURING THE WAR

(BY ARRANGEMENT WITH "THE TIMES," LONDON.)

ITALIAN FRONTIER, Friday.

It is announced in the Vatican City that the Pope has instructed all Apostolic Nuncios and other Papal diplomats abroad to take out Vatican citizenship so as to acquire greater freedom of action during the present conflict. The measure is said to be approved by the Italian Government. By becoming Vatican citizens the diplomats would be freer to carry out spiritual missions in belligerent countries and to serve prisoners and wounded. The citizenship thus granted would last only for the duration of each assignment abroad.—(Copyright, per Press Association.)

NO DIVIDEND IN SUEZ CANAL SHARES

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

CAIRO, Friday.

The Suez Canal Company, reporting "difficulties caused by the war," announced to-day that it was suspending payment of interest due August 1 on the 500 franc shares.

The company's revenues from ships passing through the Canal have been sharply reduced since the start of the war, and dropped still farther when Italy entered the conflict. The company indicated that a statement on its financial position would be issued shortly.

The Suez Canal Company was constituted in 1856 with a capital of 200,000,000 francs in 400,000 shares of 500 francs each. Since 1924 each 500-franc share has been divided into two.

100,000,000 BUSHELS OF WHEAT

The British Ministry of Food have entered into an agreement with the Canadian Wheat Board to purchase during this cereal year, July, 1940, to 1941, a further 100,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat. This is the largest purchase ever recorded.

ROSSE COLLEGE,
65 Stephen's Green, Dublin. Classes will be resumed on Monday, 19th August.—(Advt.)

CLIMBING KILIMANJARO

THE ROOF-TOP OF A CONTINENT

ASCENDING TO "THE HOUSE OF GOD"

I THOUGHT it would be a great adventure to climb South Africa's highest mountain (writes Carel Birkby in *United Empire*, the journal of the Royal Empire Society). Kilimanjaro—the savage-sounding name alone was romantic. It seemed a mountain of mystery, this great peak of the eternal snows almost straddling the Equator, a skyscraping landmark on the border of Kenya Colony and Tanganyika territory. There it was, 19,320 feet high, veiled in the clouds of the upper air, a challenge to all in Africa, the continent's very roof-top.

But now know the low-down on Africa's highest mountain. The other day I was offered a "ticket" to the top-most tip of Kilimanjaro for "Shillings 250"—about £12 10s. in English money.

Moshi is the jumping-off place for Kilimanjaro. It is easy to reach. You can travel the 200 miles in the rumbling train from the palm-girt port of Dares-Salaam, the "Haven of Peace," and step out in this village in the coffee plantations. Or else you can motor down from Nairobi, a matter of 200 miles also. Or else you can step aboard a South African Airways air liner in Cape Town on a Saturday morning and have afternoon tea in the shadow of the great mountain on Monday afternoon.

THE FIRST CLIMBERS

It has been something like a craze since the first climbers won through to the top almost half a century ago. They were two German scientists, who were exploring the territory in the days when it was "German East"—Professor Hans Mayer and Ludwig Purtscheller. In 1889 they struggled up through the forest belt, a dank, dense tangle of strange tropical trees, until they emerged into the open at 10,000 feet. Here they found 3,000 feet of grasslands to surmount, and then came to the region of the eternal snows and the glaciers. In the end they stood exultant on the summit—the windswept point which the Masai tribe have always called "Ngaje Ngai," the House of God.

If you want to climb Kilimanjaro alone, you need one native guide and six porters. Each extra person needs another two porters added to the roll. The charge is inclusive of everything—food, gear and all. But donkeys are five shillings a day extra. If you are lazy, you can ride your donkey up to 16,000 feet and then walk the remaining 2,320 feet.

So there is still a dash of desperate endeavour about this business of climbing Africa's highest peak: the donkeys do not yet go quite to the summit. But, then, I feel the donkeys are not doing their best. Perhaps some day soon one of them will be human enough to desire fame as "the first donkey to climb Kilimanjaro," and then I may ride right to the top.

Men and women—and I almost added children—have climbed Kibo. Mr. William C. West was the first Englishman to reach the summit—that was in 1914—and Englishmen have been tackling the peak ever since. They come from all parts of the world; but the settlers of Tanganyika and Kenya are a little *blasé* about the business, and it is usually left to strangers to essay the climb.

THE FIRST WOMEN

The first woman to climb the mountain was Miss Sheila MacDonald,

ECHOES Of The TOWN

By KITTY CLIVE

NOT for many years has there been such a great gathering of people as there was this year for the ever-popular Galway Races. The crowds arrived from all points of Ireland, and the roads around Galway were covered by streams of cars the previous evening. There will be no lingering, however, in beautiful Galway over the week-end; for the sports loving will not miss Leopardstown to-day and the great bank holiday meeting at Baldoyle on Monday. These open-air events are a boon to many. Some people deplore the fact that Ireland should be enjoying such sport when the world is in turmoil, but even in England there is a suggestion that racing should be revived as a relaxation for people suffering under severe mental strain.

SILENCE IN THE EAST

One always associates the Near East with calm and peace. The great silence and repose which comes to the traveller, especially during the passage through the Suez Canal, is characteristic of that quarter of the globe. It is difficult to imagine those brilliant harbours now under gunfire and bombs from the air. I remember vividly my first view of the East as I entered Alexandria shortly after sunrise many years ago. There was scarcely a sound as the liner moved over the still water, the tiny native boats, with their rowers in gay-coloured costume, gliding over the harbour all around, the musical dip of their oars being the only sound that broke the deep silence. At the port sat the white-clad medical officer, waiting to examine the passengers, and graceful Arab women with their trinkleted ankles moved softly past, like shadows, carrying pitchers or market baskets. It was a scene of complete calm and beauty.

MAURICE WALSH

I saw my friend Maurice Walsh the other day calmly digging his garden, with the content of the happy man, oblivious of the storm of letters which followed the review of his latest book. This small Kerryman, who has won the hearts of his Scottish readers, has not a trace of malice in his character. When the author of the much-discussed review telephoned him the day following its publication, the author just invited him to lunch in town. That is Maurice Walsh, and that is why he has so many friends. He has all admiration possible for such virile youth as can fully enjoy the great outdoors—a day on the heather, a week by the river, or a climb in the high mountains.

MARQUESS OF HEADFORT

Lady Moore tells me that owing to the occupation by the military, Lord Iveagh's Court was not available for the Show of the Royal Horticultural Society this year, and this will be held at the Diocesan Hall, Upper Baggot street, on Thursday and Friday next. The Marquess of Headfort, who is the President, is a keen horticulturist, and takes the deepest interest in the advancement of horticulture in Ireland. He is rarely absent from any of the shows of the Society, and usually carries off several first prizes. I hear that this year's exhibition promises many surprises. People have retreated to their gardens to work, as a respite from the distressing news coming to us from the war zones.

ON TOUR

Lord Longford brings his company from the Gate Theatre on tour next week. Cork will see the Dublin productions for six weeks, when the company will move to other towns, where they received so much support last season. I hear also that the Irish Ballet Club, encouraged by its Galway success, is contemplating a visit to the provinces. I wonder our big hotels in Ireland's beauty spots have not adopted the idea of inviting artists during the season to entertain their guests. If they did the Ballet Club, for instance, might be asked to visit some of these resorts, financed by the hotel.

SPECIAL CRIMINAL COURT

POSSESSION OF FIREARMS

TWO MEN SENTENCED

Timothy J. Collins, of Abbeyfeale Hill, Abbeyfeale, Co. Limerick, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment when he was found guilty of illegal possession of firearms and refusing to give an account of his movements.

Detectives testified that they saw Collins at Drumada bog, Knocknagashel, Co. Limerick, on June 15th; he ran away, and when overtaken he was found to have a .45 Webley revolver and six rounds of ammunition.

A sentence of two years' imprisonment also was imposed on James Dowling, 22 Darley terrace, Donore avenue, Dublin, who was convicted of the illegal possession of a .45 Webley revolver and refusing to give an account of his movements. He was found not guilty of possessing the revolver with intent to endanger life.

A detective described a visit to a house at Oberstown, Co. Meath, on June 13th, where he saw Dowling, who took responsibility for the weapon, thirteen rounds of ammunition, maps and other documents found on the premises.

Joseph O'Connor, of Athea, Co. Limerick, pleaded guilty to the illegal possession of a .32 automatic pistol and one round of ammunition, and membership of an unlawful organisation. When he gave an undertaking to dissociate himself from illegal bodies and to be of good behaviour in future, the Court imposed a sentence of two years' imprisonment, not to be served if O'Connor entered into bail to be of good behaviour for two years.

INCRIMINATING DOCUMENTS

Patrick Nicholas Lally, of Lower Abbeygate street, Galway, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment when convicted of the possession of incriminating documents and membership of an unlawful organisation.

Mr. R. McLaughlin, K.C. (instructed by Mr. D. O'Donovan, Chief State Solicitor's office), prosecuted.

HOLIDAY ENTERTAINMENT

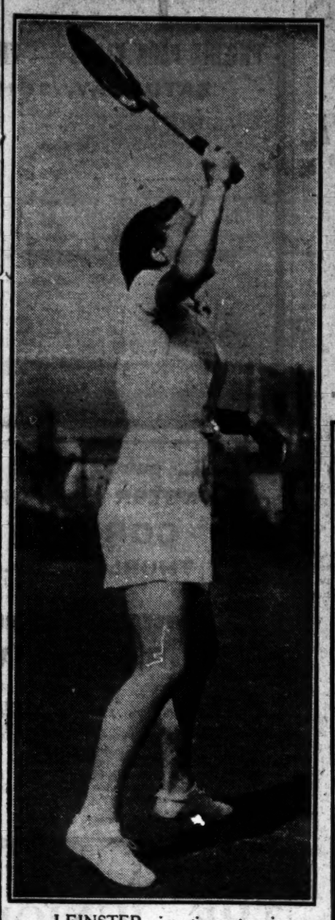
After nine weeks with the B.B.C., Jimmy O'Dea and Harry O'Donovan have come back to Dublin to stage their "Gaiety Revels of 1940," which will open at the Gaiety Theatre on Monday. All the dresses and scenery for the show are made in O'Dea-O'Donovan factory in Dublin, and this will ensure that from beginning to end the revue will be entirely the work of these two well-known entertainers. The cast will include Mary Poswolsky and Partner, Noel Purcell, Tom Dunne, Jim Jonson, Josie Day, Vernon Hayden and Mary Tiffle.

The Olympia Theatre will re-open on Monday with a bright revue, entitled "Come to the Show." The show has been produced specially for the entertainment of holiday makers, and will include sketches, songs and speciality acts.

"The Show Goes On," is the title chosen by the Queen's management for Frank O'Donovan's revue, which begins at the Queen's Theatre on Monday. Mr. O'Donovan is very popular in Dublin, and his latest effort is sure to attract much attention. The cast includes Kitty McMahon, Josephine O'Hagan, Dick Forbes, Jimmy Harvey and Bert Lena, and great care has been given to the settings and lighting effects.

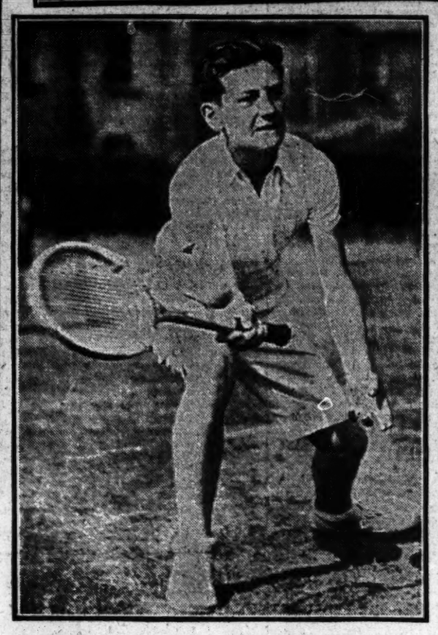
At the monthly meeting of the Belfast Trades Council on Thursday evening a report was made by Mr. W. J. Lesburn that a wages increase of 3s. per week for workers employed by the Belfast Water Commissioners had been accepted under protest.

JUNIOR TENNIS : KEEPING COOL



LEINSTER junior tennis championships at Londonbridge road, Dublin, yesterday—Miss J. O'Reilly and (right) M. Brennan in play.

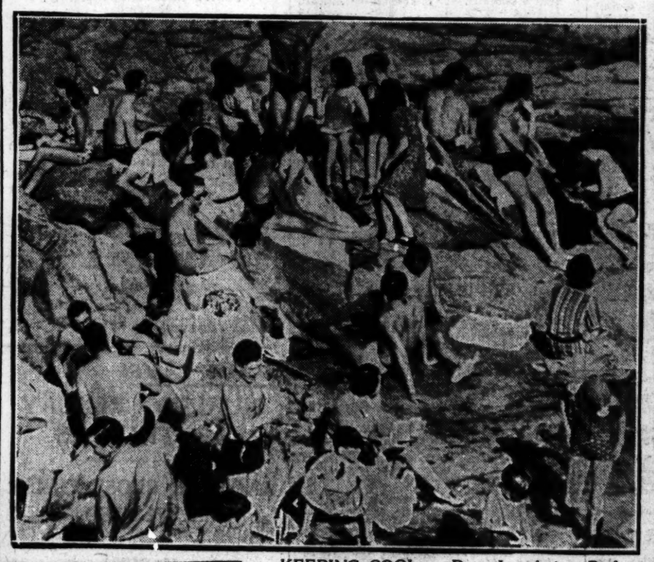
SIR JOHN LUMSDEN inspecting members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade before they took over the first-aid post at the High School, Harcourt street, Dublin, on Thursday.



CRICKET — D. P. Barclay and T. F. McMahon going out to open the Bank of Ireland innings in the match against the Provincial Bank in the Dublin Bankers' Cup final at Rathmines on Thursday.

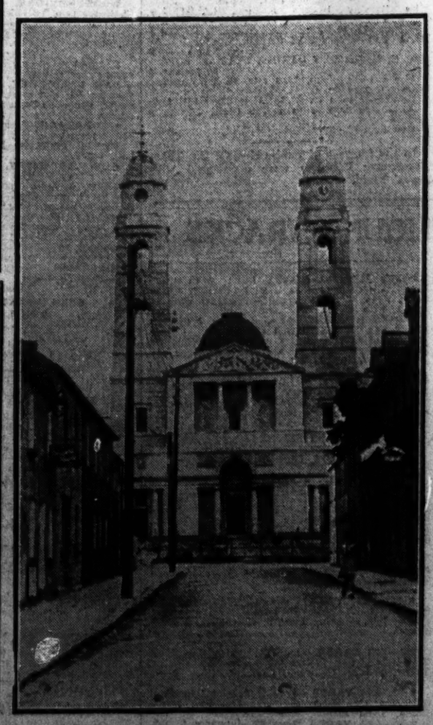
THE COMMITTEE with some of the exhibits at the South County Dublin Horticultural Society's show at St. Paul's Parochial Hall, Dun Laoghaire, on Wednesday. They are (from left): Mr. E. Shackleton, Mrs. Reid, Mr. W. Manning, Mr. J. Shackleton, Mr. G. R. Reid, Mr. J. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Walsh, and Mr. W. Duncan.

A BRIDAL GROUP taken after the wedding on Thursday of Mr. J. A. Groocock and Miss Rhoda Houston at Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, Dublin. They are (from left): Mr. D. McNeill, bridegroom and bride, and Miss Hilda Houston.



KEEPING COOL at Dun Laoghaire Baths yesterday and (below) at the "40-foot," Sandycove, Co. Dublin.

SOME OF THE CHILDREN who went on the outing to Gormanstown, Co. Meath, on Wednesday, under the auspices of the Dublin Students' Fund.



AFTER THE WEDDING of Miss M. K. Crooks, elder daughter of Canon Louis Crooks and Mrs. Crooks, Knockbreda, and Mr. A. N. D. Don, only son of the Rev. A. C. Don and Mrs. Don, Wallasey, at Knockbreda Parish Church.

MULLINGAR CATHEDRAL is seen to better advantage since the houses in front of it have been removed.

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TO-MORROW'S CHURCH SERVICES

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

SAINT PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday)—Week-day Choral Services are temporarily suspended during repairs. To-morrow (Sunday)—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. in Irish. Matins at 11.15 o'clock. Psalms, 20, 21. Te Deum, Jubilate, Noble in B minor. Processional Hymn, 354. Anthem, "Jesu, joy of man's desiring," Bach. Hymn, 204. Preacher, Rev. G. W. Murray, M.A., Prebendary of Newcastle. Holy Communion (Choral) at 12 noon. Merbecke and Stainer in A. Hymn during Communion, 204. Evensong at 3.15 o'clock. Psalm, 25. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Noble in B minor. Processional Hymn, 370, 1-3, 6. First Anthem, "Come unto Him," Gounod. Hymn, 526 (Alt. 37). Second Anthem, "O rest in the Lord . . . He that shall endure," Mendelssohn. Preacher, Rev. G. W. Murray, M.A., Prebendary of Newcastle.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday)—Matins at 10.45 o'clock. Venite 63; Psalm 16 (65); Te Deum 415, 416, 417; Hymn 435 (2). Evensong at 3 o'clock. Psalm 18, 32 to end (68); Nunc Dimittis, William Russell (1777-1813) in A; Anthem, "Blessed Word of God, Incarnate," B. L. Pearsall (1795-1856). To-morrow (Sunday)—11, Matins; Processional Hymn, 12; Venite 71; Psalm, 19 (72); Te Deum, Henry Smart (1813-1879) in F; Benedictus, 164; Holy Communion; Introit, 29, "The Lord hath been mindful of us," S. S. Wesley (1810-1876); Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, Henry Smart in F. Preacher, The Dean. Hymn during Offertory, 442; Hymn, 211. 3.30, Evensong. Processional Hymn, 447; Psalm 23 (82); Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, John Stainer (1840-1901) in A; Anthem, 411, "O be joyful in God, all ye lands" (Henry Smart); Hymn, 29 (1); Recessional Hymn, 37.

ST. ANNE'S CATHEDRAL, Belfast.—8, Holy Communion. 10.45, Matins. 11.30, Holy Communion (Choral); Service, Adiam in F (Holy Communion); Anthem, "Lead me, Lord" (Wesley); Hymns, 214, 483, 206. Preacher, the Rev. C. A. Clark, B.Sc., M.C. (Senior Chaplain to the Forces). 3.30, First Evensong. Psalm, 25; Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Service, Wood in F; Anthem, "Incline Thine ear" (Hummel); Hymns, 39, 449, 466; Preacher, The Dean. 7, Second Evensong (Parochial); Preacher, The Dean.

ST. CANICE'S CATHEDRAL, Kilkenny.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. Venite, 201; Psalms, 19 and 20, c, 202, 289, 287; Urbs, 193; Benedictus, 78; Kyrie, 2; Doxology, 19 and 20; Processional Hymn, 561, verses 1, 2 and 6; Hymns 472, 211.

ST. FIN BARRE'S CATHEDRAL, CORK.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins and Holy Communion. Psalm 91, Te Deum, Jubilate (Gray in D). Anthem, "Jesu, joy of man's desiring" (Bach). Hymns 9 (T. 11), 377. Preacher, Rev. E. P. Mills. 4, First Evensong (Choral). Psalms 57, 61. Service, Dyson in C. Anthem, "O love the Lord" (Sullivan). Hymn 730. 7, Second Evensong (Parochial). Psalms 57, 61. Hymns 522, 729 (T. 51), 425, 78. Preacher, Rev. Canon Nicholson.

ST. COLUMB'S CATHEDRAL, DERRY.—8, Holy Communion. 10, Military Service. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. Processional Hymn, No. 593. Psalms, Nos. 19, 20. Service, Te Deum (Somervell in F). Anthem, "Save me, O God" (Hopkins). Hymns, Nos. 355 and 680. Preacher, the Dean. 3, Young People's Service. 6, Evensong. Processional Hymn, No. 356. Psalm, No. 56. Canticles, Somervell in F. Anthem, "O Saviour Friend" (Handel Fletcher). Hymns, Nos. 764, 562, 59. Preacher, Rev. A. W. Rogan, B.A.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH. — 7.45, Litany. 8 and 9.15, Holy Communion. 11, Matins; Rev. R. N. Coote. 12, Sung Eucharist. 6.30, Evensong; Rev. R. J. F. Macaulay, C.V., Toccata and Fugue in D minor (J. S. Bach).

ST. ANN'S CHURCH.—8 and 10, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion; Rev. R. J. F. Macaulay. 7, Evensong; Rev. R. N. Coote.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Rev. R. G. Perdue. 7, Rev. R. S. Stewart.

ST. MATTHIAS'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. Dr. de Pauley. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. Dr. de Pauley.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street.—The Church's Ministry of Healing. 8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 12, Holy Communion. 6.30, Evening Prayer.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. L. L. Sullivan. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. L. L. Sullivan. Offerings for Hibernian Bible Society.

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh. — 8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. R. M. Kennedy. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. R. S. Stewart.

ST. WERBURGH'S PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.15, Morning Prayer. Rev. J. D. Murray. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. R. M. May, St. Paul's.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. R. Northridge. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. St. John Pike. 1.5, Daily Intercession.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. H. W. Donald.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Frazer, Belfast.

MISSION CHURCH, Townsend street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Canon Griffin.

ST. MICHAN'S CHURCH.—12, Morning Prayer. Rev. R. M. May.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—10.30, Holy Communion. Rev. R. M. May. 7, Rev. J. D. Murray.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH.—10.15 and 7, and Chapel of Ease 11.30, Rev. Dr. Emerson.

ST. KEVIN'S CHURCH, South Circular road.—11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. W. G. Leslie Walker. 7, Rev. Leslie Elliott.

MISSION TO THE ADULT DEAF AND DUMB, GREGG HALL.—3.30.

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH. — 11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. Canon Mitchell. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. M. G. Semple.

ST. VICTOR'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. M. G. Semple. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. Canon Mitchell.

ST MATTHEW'S CHURCH, Irishtown.—11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. A. R. Weir. 7, Rev. V. J. Walker.

DRUMCONDRA CHURCH.—8.15, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. R. K. W. Lowe. 7, Rev. R. L. Stuart.

NORTH STRAND CHURCH.—8.15 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. R. L. Stuart. 7, Rev. R. K. W. Lowe.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, Donnybrook. — 8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Powell. 7, Rev. M. A. Handy.

SANDFORD PARISH CHURCH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. C. T. A. Carter.

ST. PHILIP'S PARISH CHURCH, Temple road.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Service. Rev. Walter Wyatt, M.A. 7, Evensong and sermon. Rev. Walter Wyatt, M.A.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Grangegorman.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins (said). 11.30, Sung Eucharist and sermon. 7, Evensong and sermon.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. D. R. C. Hilliard, Mission to Ballymacarrett. 7, Rev. W. C. G. Proctor.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 10.15, Morning Prayer. Rev. G. S. Nowlan. 11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. G. S. Nowlan. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. C. H. Lloyd.

CHRIST CHURCH, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Communion (Choral); Rev. St. John Pike, M.A. 6.30, Evensong; the Vicar. Offertory alms for the Southern Church Missions in Belfast.

ZION CHURCH, Rathgar.—8, Holy Communion 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. L. A. Elliott. 7, Rev. L. Walker.

ST. BRIGID'S, Stillorgan.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Rev. G. A. Lowe.

ALL SAINTS', Raheny.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Canon Drury. 6.30, Evening Service.

HOLY TRINITY PARISH CHURCH, Killiney.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. 7, Evensong and Sermon.

ST. PHILIP AND ST. JAMES'S, Booterstown.—8.15 and 12.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. W. F. Synnott.

ST. PAPPAN'S CHURCH, Santry.—10.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. W. R. A. Bond. 4, Rev. W. A. M. Cox.

ST. MOBHI'S CHURCH, Glasnevin.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. W. A. M. Cox. 7, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Coolock.—12, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

MARINERS' CHURCH, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. F. R. Mitchell. 7, Rev. F. R. Mitchell.

ST. PAUL'S, Glenageary.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. N. L. Roberts. 6.30, Rev. N. L. Roberts.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

ABBEY CHURCH, Rutland square—11.45 and 7, Rev. W. J. McConnell.

ADELAIDE ROAD.—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. Dr. R. J. Hanna.

ST. ANDREW'S, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Noel Thompson.

ST. ANDREW'S, Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. J. Galley. Anniversary Services.

CHAPELIZOD.—4.30, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

CLONTARF.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. V. Henderson.

DONORE.—11.30 and 7, Rev. T. A. McElfatrick.

HOWTH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. McCaughey.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. C. Gillespie.

LUCAN.—10.15, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

MALAHIDE.—7, Rev. J. McCaughey.

ORMOND QUAY AND SCOTS CHURCH.—11.45 and 7, Rev. T. Byers.

RATHGAR (CHRIST CHURCH).—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Montgomery.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. B. Crockett.

NAAS.—12, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

MISSION CHURCH, Ormond Quay.—3, Sabbath School. 4.30, Evangelistic Service; Mr. E. Logan.

NORTH STRAND HALL.—8.15, Evangelistic Service; Mr. E. Logan.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

CENTENARY CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Dr. McCracken.

KINGSLAND PARK.—10.30, Rev. W. Johnstone Hunter. 7, Mr. W. F. Hanna.

ABBEY STREET.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. T. Clarke.

BLACKHALL PLACE.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Keys.

CLONLIFFE.—11.30, Mr. W. Brien. 7, Mr. H. B. Forsyth, LL.B.

LUCAN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. C. Wilson.

CHARLESTON ROAD, Rathmines.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Lee Cole.

BRIGHTON ROAD, Rathgar.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Whittaker.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 (Lord's Supper) and 7, Rev. R. A. Lockhart.

CLONTARF.—11.30 and 7, Rev. H. M. Watson.

SUTTON.—11.30, Rev. John England. (Communion.) 7, Rev. John England.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30, Rev. M. J. Lewis. 7, Mr. Mourant (New Zealand).

BLACKROCK.—11.30, Rev. Robert Moore, B.A. 7, Rev. M. J. Lewis.

BRAY.—11.30, Rev. W. H. Hayes. (Communion.) 7, Mr. M. Wilson (Greystones).

DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION.—11.30, Rev. D. J. Allen. 7, Rev. Johnstone Hunter. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at close of both Services.

DOLPHIN'S BARN.—12, Rev. Johnstone Hunter. 7, Mr. John Smith. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at close of Morning Service.

INCHICORE.—11.30, Mr. J. McEvoy. 7, Rev. D. J. Allen. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at close of Evening Service.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

MERRION HALL, Lower Merrion street. — 12, 3.30, and 7, Mr. Edward E. Rankin, Bangor.

NORTHUMBERLAND HALL, Dun Laoghaire.—7, Mr. Meredith Hardman, China Inland Mission.

FAIRVIEW HALL.—12, Mr. F. Cochran. 7, Mr. E. Reid.

HARCOURT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—11.30 and 7, Pastor L. E. Deens.

YORK STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Dublin.—11.30, Rev. E. Gordon Fletcher.

KILMAINHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. —11.30, Mr. J. Hansell. 7, Mr. J. Hodgins.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, Stephen's Green.—12 and 7, Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.—Meetings for Public Worship—6 Eustace street, Dublin, 11 a.m.; Monkstown, 11 a.m.; Churchtown, 11 a.m.; Bray, 11.30 a.m.

THE HALL, 3 Northumberland road. — To-morrow (Sunday) at 7 p.m., Service of Praise and Worship: Pastor J. Fox and A. J. Ferris. Tuesday at 8 p.m., Lantern Lecture by Mr. A. J. Ferris, B.A., "The Destiny of the United States of America." Thursday, at 8 p.m., Pastor J. Fox will continue his ministry on the Calling out of the Church and the Gift of the Holy Spirit. Collection to defray expenses.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin. Lower Baggot street (a branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily from 12 noon.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin. Rathmines Park (branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

City of Dublin Y.M.C.A., Lower Abbey street.—To-morrow—Combined (Senior and Intermediate) Bible Class, Mr. A. G. Beaven; Boys' Department Bible Class (all at 5 p.m.). Evangelistic Service, 8.30 p.m.; Mr. E. E. Rankin (Bangor).

CROSS-CHANNEL AIR SERVICES

NEW ENGLISH TERMINUS

An official notice issued yesterday by Aer Lingus, Teoranta, informs the public that the terminus in England for Air Line Services operating to from Eire has been transferred from the existing terminus at Speke Airport (Liverpool) to Barton Airport (Manchester) until further notice.

The normal twice daily service between the two countries will continue to operate as usual, with the exception of the fact that the afternoon service from England will now leave at 2.30 p.m. instead of 2 p.m. as heretofore. There will be no increase in existing fares.

Aer Lingus also wish to draw the attention of the travelling public to the fact that, as from Tuesday next, 6th August, 1940, all inquiries for tickets, reservations, etc., should be made to their new booking offices at 44 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin (opposite Gresham Hotel), where more commodious and increased accommodation for passengers and their friends has been provided. The telephone numbers of the new booking offices are 72672-3-4.

THE FISHING SEASON

BIG CATCHES, BUT HERRINGS SCARCE

Irish fishermen are having a busy season. The quantity of in-shore fish already landed this year is considerably greater than that of the corresponding period last year.

While mackerel landings have been very satisfactory at all centres, the catches of herrings have been rather disappointing, it is reported. The season at Howth, it is stated, has been a complete failure, and it has been found necessary to abandon fishing. Already most of the boats from Ardglass and Arklow have returned to their home waters, where they will resume their trawling.

The movements of herring shoals have for some time past been puzzling scientists both in Ireland and Great Britain. After considerable research it can now be ascertained approximately where and when the shoals will appear. Some indication of the extent of the shoal can also be given.

It was thought at first that the new minefield laid by the British Admiralty, which stretched across the St. George's Channel to within three miles of the Irish coast, would interfere with deep-sea fishers, who operate some fifteen miles out. In actual fact, however, it was found that, with very little inconvenience, the difficulty could be surmounted.

It was stated yesterday that fair quantities of whiting were being caught.

WILLING'S PRESS GUIDE

The sixty-seventh annual edition of "Willing's Press Guide" for the year 1940 has now appeared, although a little late, and despite limitation of paper, suspension and alterations in newspaper constitutions due to the war, and a mass of obsolete details which had to be removed, thus holding up the work, this year's guide is as accurate, as comprehensive and as enlightening an authority on the world's Press as in previous years.

The lists of foreign newspapers have been curtailed by the omission of several European countries, but the pages including France were at press before that country asked for peace terms.

Evacuation addresses have been mentioned where publishers advised that more expeditious service could be obtained.

LICENCES TO EXPORT TOMATOES

Supplies of home-grown tomatoes this season may temporarily exceed the quantity required for home consumption, and the Minister for Agriculture is at present examining the question of granting licences to growers enabling them to export limited quantities.

Growers desiring to export tomatoes are invited to communicate at once with the Department of Agriculture, furnishing the particulars set out in the notice which appears in our advertising columns.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

During the month of August special prayer for Ireland will be offered at the daily Services at 10.45 and 3 o'clock, as also at the Sunday Services. The preacher at the 11 o'clock Service to-morrow is to be the Dean. The crypt will be closed to visitors during the months of August and September, unless by special arrangement made with the Verger beforehand.

LEOPARDSTOWN PROGRAMME

ABRUPT FANCIED FOR CHIEF T.-Y.-O. RACE

Astrid May Carry Top-Weight To Victory

THE principal event at Leopardstown this afternoon is the Londonderry Plate, and, while there will not be a big field for it, the issue looks open, with Warden's Post, Abrupt, Star Haven and Alva all possessing claims for support. The first-named won at the last meeting here, when he beat Sweet Caprice, who was a winner previously, and Clarionet, who has run prominently since. Abrupt, who scored at the Curragh in April, has been placed in her last two races, and was beaten less than two lengths by Dunseverick and Rose Garland at the Curragh last week. Star Haven was third to First Bloom and The White Hart at Phœnix Park recently, on which occasion Alva finished just behind her, so that there is not much to choose between the pair. The winner, however, may prove to be Abrupt.

The Delgany Plate is the first two-year-old handicap of the season, and should furnish a good contest. Astrid, despite her defeat at Baldoyle, will take a lot of beating, and it is significant that she does duty for the successful Kildangan stable in preference to several others. Mr. Ussher runs a pair in Sable Fox and Arctic Glow, both of which have strong claims, and Polly's Star will run well, but it may be best to rely on Astrid. A hurdle race and a steeplechase will add variety to the proceedings, and visitors can look forward to an enjoyable day at Foxrock. Selections:—

Rathfarnham Hurdle—**Red Uncus.**
Delgany Plate—**Astrid.**
Grange Plate—**Airds Moss.**
Londonderry Plate—**Abrupt.**
Castle Steeplechase—**Amico.**
Milltown Plate—**Stagger.**

TOTE DOUBLE.
Airds Moss and Amico.

3.0—RATHFARNHAM HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A weight for age hurdle race, 1½ m. Age st. lb.

BRIGHT CHILD (Miss Dorothy Paget) ..... C. A. Rogers a 11 12
MANSURA (Mr. J. A. Mangan) ..... Owner 4 11 7
CHINESE LEGEND (Mr. J. Dillon) ..... Walker 4 10 12
PUCK FAIR (Mr. T. Morrow) ..... Sleator, jr. 4 10 12
RED UNCUS (Mr E. Parkinson) ..... Parkinson 4 10 12
ALLANWOOD (Mrs. E. McGrath) ..... Parkinson 4 10 12
SWEET PEGGY (Mr. Jas. Rooney) ..... McKeever 4 10 7
RIGHT NOTE (Mr. D. G. Dickson) ..... Fetherston 4 10 7

Above are declared runners.

14 BRIGHT CHILD. Carried 10-13 when fourth of 11 to St. Wolstan (9-7), Galway, Wed. (1½ m. hurdles). Carried 10-2 when winning 2 l., neck, from Walter's Pride (10-11) and Amberhill (9-10), Powerstown, July (1 m. 5 f. 70 yds. hurdles).

00 MANSURA. See Allanwood and Red Uncus.

20 CHINESE LEGEND. Fell at Dundalk, April (chase). Carried 11-12 when beaten 1½ l., by Angerlin (11-12), Leopardstown, April (2 m. flat).

43 PUCK FAIR. Carried 10-13 when beaten short head, 2 l., by Cute John (11-2) and Starflyer (11-11), Killarney, July (1½ m. flat). Carried 10-9 when fourth of 7 to Little Step (9-2), Dundalk, June (1½ m. hurdles).

11 RED UNCUS. Carried 11-2 when winning 3½ l., 2 l. from Cuff Link (11-5) and Swing Fro (10-2), Naas, June (2 m. flat). Mansura (12-0), was unplaced. Carried 10-7 when winning 3 l., head, from Inspiration (11-3) and Court-na-Ree (9-11), Junction, June 6 (2 m. hurdles).

11 ALLANWOOD. Carried 12-0 when winning 4 l., bad, from Golden Jack (12-2) and Regnent (11-2), Galway, Wed. (2 m. flat). Carried 11-2 when winning 4 l., 6 l. from Bistro (10-13) and Solve (10-7), Phœnix Park, July 20 (2 m. flat). Carried 8-5 when beaten short head, 2 l., by Matona (8-2) and Red Shaft (9-10), Junction, June 29 (2 m. flat). Mansura (8-13) was unplaced.

0 SWEET PEGGY. Unplaced with 10-2 to Little Step (11-3), Bellewstown, July (1 m. 5 f. hurdles).

0 RIGHT NOTE. Unplaced with 10-9 to Another Consul (10-9), Gowran, May (1½ m. hurdles).

3.30—DELGANY PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap for Irish-trained horses two years old only. 5 f. st. lb.

ASTRID (Mr. Jos. McGrath) ..... O'Ferrall 9 7
MEXICALI ROSE (Miss F. M. Beattie) ..... Beattie 9 7
SABLE FOX (Major A. H. Watt) ..... Ussher 9 2
ARCTIC GLOW (Sir Matthew Wilson) ..... Ussher 8 8
BALLYMUN (Mr. John Byrne) ..... Canty 8 4
INS AN MALA (Mr. C. G. McKenna) ..... Owner 8 3

Above are declared runners.

13 ASTRID. Carried 9-9 when beaten 2 l., same, by Boudoir (8-5) and Avon King (9-8), Baldoyle, July (5 f.). Carried 9-1 when winning 3 l., 6 l. from Parkside (9-1) and Persian Tapestry (8-12), Curragh, June 15 (5 f.).

0 MEXICALI ROSE. Unplaced with 8-8 to Evening Dress (8-8), Phœnix Park, July 10 (5 f.).

*1 SABLE FOX. Carried 9-0 when winning neck, 3 l. from Brendmaker (8-10) and Mitre (8-5), Leopardstown, April (5 f.).

10 ARCTIC GLOW. Carried 9-1 when fifth of 13 to Fair Inn (9-4), Baldoyle, May (5 f.). Carried 8-12 when winning ½ l., same, from Embrasure (8-9) and Ushnagh (8-8), Phœnix Park, May 8 (5 f.).

40 BALLYMUN. Unplaced with 9-2 to First Bloom (9-2), Phœnix Park, July 20 (5 f.). Carried 9-2 when fourth of 8 to Music and Song (8-6), Phœnix Park, July 10 (5 f.).

03 INS AN MALA. Carried 8-8 when beaten 1½ l., 3 l. by Breadmaker (8-8) and Nordic (8-11), Leopardstown, June (5 f.).

23 POLLY'S STAR. Carried 8-8 when beaten 2 l., 1½ l. by Autumn Lady (8-1) and Lady Clover field (8-8), Phœnix Park, July 20 (5 f.). Suzie (8-1) was unplaced. Carried 8-8 when beaten 1½ l. by Brighter Home (8-8), Phœnix Park, July 10 (5 f.). Suzie (8-8) was fifth of 18.

00 ART COLLECTION. Unplaced with 8-1 to Dunseverick (8-1) Curragh, July (5 f.).

00 SUZIE. See Polly's Star.

00 LIBRE TELEGRAMMES. Unplaced with 8-6 to Warden's Post (8-6), Leopardstown, July (5 f.).

4.0—GRANGE PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race, 1 m. Age st. lb.

AIRDS MOSS (Mr. J. V. Rank) ..... Fetherston 4 9 11
HUNTHILL (Mr. A. Jesserich) ..... McKeever 4 9 11
ARTIST'S SON (Mr. W. Barnett) ..... D. Rogers 4 8 8
MESHRA (Mrs. E. Brook) ..... Armstrong 3 8 6
EGYPTIAN QUEEN (Mr. D. Macaulay) ..... Doyle 6 8 3
MOYNISH (Sir Harold Gray) ..... Canty 3 8 0
BELROSE (Mr. I. J. Blake) ..... Blake 3 8 0
FIRST VISIT (Mr. James Fetherston) ..... M. Connolly 3 7 9

Above are declared runners.

00 AIRDS MOSS. Unplaced with 8-12 to Mickie Bulger (8-3), Salisbury, May (1 m.). Carried 8-5 when fifth of 13 to Heavy Weight (8-3), Newmarket, May (1 m. 2 f.). Carried 8-3 when winning 2½ l., ¾ l. from Silksworth (8-7) and Wansfell (9-0), Liverpool, April (1 m.).

00 HUNTHILL. Unplaced with 12-2 to Swing Fro (9-0), Bellewstown, July (1 m. 5 f.).

00 ARTIST'S SON. Unplaced with 9-2 to Radiologist (8-12), Curragh, April (1 m.).

10 MESHRA. Carried 7-9 when sixth of 12 to Sitara (7-4), Thirsk, June (1¼ m.). Carried 7-7 when winning neck, ¾ l., from Water Weed (8-9) and Asterisk (9-0), Haydock, May (1 m.).

0 EGYPTIAN QUEEN. Unplaced with 8-2 to Overall (9-5), Baldoyle, May (1¼ m.).

0 MOYNISH. Unplaced with 8-5 to Santier (9-0), Hurst Park, April (7 f.).

40 BELROSE. Unplaced with 7-8 to Taffytrap (8-0), Curragh, July (6 f. 63 yds.). Carried 8-9 when fourth of 10 to Mornas (7-13), Leopardstown, July (1 m.). Carried 8-5 when winning ¼ l.; same, from Sunny Star (9-0) and Mornas (8-0), Curragh, June 27 (1 m.). First Visit (8-4) was unplaced.

20 FIRST VISIT. See Belrose. Carried 7-7 when beaten neck by Lady of Devon (7-13), Baldoyle, May (1 m. 1 f. 80 yds.).

4.30—LONDONDERRY PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. For two years old. 5 f. st. lb.

WARDEN'S POST (Lt.-Col. Giles Loder) ..... Fetherston 9 2
ABRUPT (Mr. W. Barnett) ..... D. Rogers 8 13
ROYAL CONCERT (Mr. J. McGrath) ..... Collins 8 10
STAR HAVEN (Major A. H. Watt) ..... Ussher 8 10
McCLUSKEY (Mr. G. F. Annesley) ..... Wellesley 8 10
EDA (Capt. F. French Davis) ..... Owner 8 6
ALVA (Sir T. Dixon) ..... Wellesley 8 6

Above are declared runners.

01 WARDEN'S POST. Carried 8-6 when winning 1½ l., 1l. from Sweet Caprice (8-13) and Clarionet (9-7), Leopardstown, July (5 f.). Eda (8-7) was unplaced.

33 ABRUPT. Carried 9-10 when beaten 1½ l., ¾ l. by Dunseverick (8-1) and Rose Garland (9-3), Curragh, July (5 f.). Carried 9-5 when beaten 3l. by Astrid (9-3), Curragh, May (5 f.). Carried 8-10 when winning 1l., 2½ l. from Nordic (9-0) and Power (8-10), Curragh, April (5 f.).

0 ROYAL CONCERT. See Alva.

33 STAR HAVEN. Carried 8-10 when beaten 2½, same, by First Bloom (9-2) and The White Hart (9-2), Phœnix Park, July 20 (5 f.). Alva (8-7) was fourth of 8. Carried 8-10 when beaten ½ l., 1½ l. by Music and Song (8-6) and Portora (9-1), Phœnix Park, July 10 (5 f.).

3 McCLUSKEY. Carried 9-12 when beaten 6 l., neck by Etoile de Lyons (8-12) and My Gallant Grey (8-12), Leopardstown, July (5 f.).

00 EDA. Unplaced with 8-6 to Autumn Lady (8-1), Phœnix Park, July 20 (5 f.). See Warden's Post.

34 ALVA. See Star Haven. Carried 8-10 when beaten 2½, ¾ l. by Foolfix (8-9) and Monard Cross (8-10), Curragh, May (5 f.). Royal Concert (9-0) was fourth of 8. Carried 8-10 when beaten ½ l., 1½ l. from Sweet Caprice (8-13) and Clarionet (8-7), Leopardstown, July (5 f.).

5.0—CASTLE HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 2 m. 175 yds. Age st. lb.

ATCO (7lb. ex.) (Miss Dorothy Paget) ..... C. A. Rogers a 12 12
SEPTEMBER (Mr. Leo Partridge) ..... C. A. Rogers a 12 5
ST. JAMES'S GATE (Lady Eiveden) ..... Arnott a 10 13
DOITAGAIN (Mr. H. C. McNally) ..... Walker 6 10 13
BAYBUSH (Miss H. Ball) ..... Osborne a 10 7
AMICO (Mrs. H. M. Hartigan) ..... Arnott 6 9 12

Above are declared runners.

11 ATCO. Carried 12-2 when winning 2½ l., 6 l., from Vanrook (10-7) and Fairy Hall (10-7), Galway, Wed. (2 m. 2 f. 'chase). Carried 12-1 when winning 2 l., 3 l., from Amico (9-12) and Cooleragh (9-9), Bellewstown July (2 m., 'chase). See September.

11 SEPTEMBER. Carried 12-1 when winning 1½ l., 3 l. from Sen Tol (11-6) and Bistro (11-5), Ballinrobe July (2 m. 2 f. 'chase). Carried 10-7 when winning 6 l., same, from Kirimetiya (9-7) and Atco (11-8), Dundalk June (2 m. 200 yds. 'chase). Doitagain (10-6) was unplaced.

20 ST. JAMES'S GATE. Carried 10-5 when sixth of 10 to George Dandin (9-9), Baldoyle July (1½ m. hurdles).

00 DOITAGAIN. See September.

00 BAYBUSH. Unplaced with 10-10 to Avatea (9-13), Leopardstown Jan. (1½ m. hurdles).

23 AMICO. Carried 9-7 when beaten head, 2 l., by Fulcher (10-5) and Knight of the Border (10-9), Baldoyle July (2 m. 2 f. 'chase). See Atco.

5.30—MILLTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A flat race for Irish-trained horses. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

UMBRIA ROSE (Mr. J. A. Gahan) ..... Private 5 11 8
CRIMSON PRINCE (Mr. Jos. Lawless) ..... Hoey 6 11 8
ROMANY (Mr. C. G. McKenna) ..... Owner 4 11 8
BROWN SAM (Miss Dorothy Paget) ..... C. A. Rogers 5 11 8
EMPHATIC (Mr. A. Darry) ..... Sleator, jun. 3 10 10
SURGEON (Mr. F. W. Browning, jun.) ..... Private 3 10 10
STAGGER (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ..... Owner 3 10 10

Above are declared runners.

0 CRIMSON PRINCE. Unplaced with 11-7 to Swindon Beauty (11-12), Bellewstown July (2 m.).

00 BLOWN SAM. Unplaced with 11-7 to Karima (11-10), Naas Feb. (2 m.).

0 SURGEON. Unplaced with 8-9 to Sweet Peach (8 9), Curragh July (1 m.).

32 STAGGER. Carried 10-10 when beaten 1½ l. by Ballypollard (10-10), Leopardstown July (1½ m.). Carried 8-7 when beaten 2 l., 1½ l., by River Gem (8-7) and Rathcoole (8-7), Junction, June 5 (1½ m.).

CURRAGH SELECTIONS

Our Curragh Correspondent's selections for Leopardstown to-day are:—

Rathfarnham Hurdle—Red Uncus.
Delgany Plate—Libre Telegrammes.
Grange Plate—First Visit.
Londonderry Plate—Abrupt.
Castle Chase—September.
Milltown Plate—Surgeon.

DOUBLE FOR RATHVALE

Favourites Fare Well at Tuam: Ballyduag Scores Easily

THE Western racing week had a satisfactory wind-up at Tuam yesterday, where the attendance, as on the two days at Galway, was of record proportions. Backers had a right royal time of it, for only in one instance was a favourite beaten.

Bright Earl and Charon disputed favouritism for the Western Hurdle, and they finished first and third, divided by Prescribed. It was a fast run race, with Glenmalure and Prescribed the pace-makers, with the two fancied candidates in the rear. Along the far side of the course, however, Charon made up ground rapidly, and going into the lead at the entrance to the straight was never afterwards challenged.

The odds laid on River Gem to beat five others in the Flying Plate were readily landed. Verdancy was in front until well in the line for home, when C. Smirke sent the favourite into the lead, and he readily disposed of the late challenge of Royal Down.

Mr. R. H. Walker sent Smerwick's Nephew for the Tuam Steeplechase, which he had no difficulty in winning, and the same trainer had another winner later in Miss Paget's Flashing Stream in the last race of the day.

The Athenry Plate, a Government-endowed seven furlongs handicap, was the best race of the afternoon. Eleven runners went to the post, and Dashing Wave was the best backed. Mrs. W. Cahill's horse never flattered, and the race for most of the way was dominated by Ballyduag, who won pulling up by three lengths from Fire o' London and Spun Gold. The winner, who had been placed in all but one of her races as a two-year-old, had never previously scored, and this was her second race this year.

There were prospects of a close finish for the County Plate between Homeland and Piper's Luck, but at the last fence Homeland made a mistake and unshipped his rider, leaving Sir James Neison's horse with an easy path to victory. Details:—

2.30—WESTERN PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1¼ m.

Mrs. T. N. Atkinson's ch. g. CHARON, by La Brige—Fydollas, a. 11-2 ..... J. Brogan 1
Mrs. A. H. Hornby's PRESCRIBED, 5, 11-7 ..... Mr. J. Murphy 2
Mr. Thomas Field's BRIGHT EARL, 5, 11-5 ..... A. Brabazon 3

Also ran:—Clohogue, 10-11 (T. V. Ryan); Glenmalure, 10-9 (D. L. Moore); Amberhill, 10-7 (F. Conlon), Dundrin, 10-5 (E. J. Kennedy), Roanmore, 10-7 (J. J. Hill). (Winner trained by M. Arnott.)

Betting—5 to 2 each agst. CHARON and Bright Earl, 4 to 1 Clohogue, 7 to 1 each Prescribed and Glenmalure, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by 4l.; neck. Roanmore 4, Amberhill 5, Dundrin 6.

3.0—FLYING PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 3 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1½ m.

Mr. A. Baker's b. f. RIVER GEM, by Stratford —Blue Diamond, 3, 8-11 ..... C. Smirke 1
Mr. B. Kerr's ROYAL DOWN, 3, 8-5 ..... T. Burns 2
Mr. Jas. J. Kelly's TOIROSE, a, 7-8 (car. 7-11) ..... J. P. Maguire 3

Also ran:—Bendigold, 8-13 (M. Nolan); Verdancy, 8-0 (W. Howard); Handsome Toy, 7-7 (M. Moloney). (Winner trained by H. G. Wellesley.)

Betting—5 to 2 on RIVER GEM, 4 to 1 agst. Toirose, 8 to 1 Bendigold, 20 to 1 any other.

Won 1l.; 1½l.

3.30—TUAM PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2½m.

Mrs. H. Walker's br. g. SMERWICK'S NEPHEW, by Knight of Kilcash—Irish Act, 5, 11-2 ..... D. L. Moore 1
Mrs. Croft's GOLDEN TOFF, a, 12-0 ..... W. O'Grady 2
Mr. W. Mullin's MIGHTY ATOM II., a, 9-2 ..... J. P. Maguire 3

Also ran:—Bongo II., 11-6 (F. J. Murphy); Quick Change II., 9-11 (R. Browne). (Winner trained by R. H. Walker.)

Betting—6 to 4 on SMERWICK'S NEPHEW, 4 to 1 agst. Golden Toff, 6 to 1 Mighty Atom II., 7 to 1 Quick Change II., 10 to 1 Bongo II.

Won 4l.; 1l.

4.0—ATHENRY PLATE of 100 sovs. (presented by the Government of Ireland). Winner 75 per cent., second 15 per cent., third 10 per cent. of the stakes. A handicap flat race. 7 f.

Mr. E. T. O'Meara's b. f. BALLYDUAG, by Stratford—Communicative, 3, 7-9 ..... W. Howard 1
Mr. C. J. Farrell's FIRE O' LONDON, a, 9-12 ..... T. Burns 2
Mrs. M. Connolly's SPUN GOLD, 3, 8-0 ..... M. Nolna 3

Also ran:—Cullen's star, 9-11 (P. J. Cahalin); Even So, 8-5 (M. Nolan); Silver Vixen, 8-2 (Herbert Holmes); Dashing Wave, 8-5 (A. Barrett); Venetian Lace 8-2 (John Power); Ladylove, 7-8 (J. G. Winter); Ventura, 8-0 (G. Wells); Duke of Colne, 7-11 (J. P. Maguire). Winner trained by Owner.

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Dashing Wave, 4 to 1 each BALLYDUAG and Fire o' London, 6 to 1 each Silver Vixen and Ladylove, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by 3l., 2l. Ventura fourth, Dashing Wave fifth, Even So sixth.

4.30—COUNTY PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 3 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2 m.

Sir James Nelson's br. g. PIPER'S LUCK, by Piper's Son—She Will, 5, 11-7 W. O'Grady 1
Mr. M. Rowlette's ALLEZ AU DIABLE, 5, 11-7 ..... Mr. J. Rowlette 2
Sir John Carew Pole's WAVY NAVY, 5, 11-7 ..... P. J. Murphy 3

Also ran:—Homeland, 11-10 (P. J. Cahalin); Coolshalilla, 10-6 (J. Lenehan). Winner trained by H. Usher.

Betting—7 to 4 agst. PIPER'S LUCK, 2 to 1 Homeland, 3 to 1 Wavy Navy, 6 to 1 Coolshalilla, 10 to 1 Allez au Diable.

Won by 15 l., 3 l. Homeland fell.

5.0—TRADERS' PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 3 sovs. A flat race. 1¼ m.

Miss Dorothy Paget's b. g. FLASHING STREAM, by Knight of Kilcash—Rippling Rock, 5, 11-10 ..... C. Smirke 1
Mr. J. F. Costello's THE CROFT, 5, 11-0 ..... Mr. M. Fitzsimons 2
Mrs. R. McCormick's DAKOTA STAR, a, 11-10 ..... J. Brogan 3

Also ran:—Ransboro, 11-0 (Mr. R. W. Browne). Winner trained by R. H. Walker.

Betting—7 to 4 on FLASHING STREAM, 3 to 1 agst. Ransboro, 6 to 1 The Croft, 100 to 8 Dakota Star.

Won by 20 l., 3 l.

In the interest of Public Health, the Tuam Racecourse Premises were disinfected with Jeyes' Fluid. —(Advt.)

FROM THE GREYHOUND TRACKS

SON OF DUTCH WINS IN GOOD TIME

BACKERS WELL ON MARK AT HAROLD'S CROSS

With five first favourites and two joint favourites scoring, backers were again well on the mark last night at Harold's Cross Park. Son of Dutch returned the best time when he won the Leinster Plate in 30.42 secs. after leading all the way. Missing Money, off the scratch mark, was a clever winner of the Midland Hurdle; and Tenderloin, drawn No. 1 trap, never left the issue in doubt in the Munster Plate. Details:—

ULSTER PLATE—Mr. M. McKenna's GLITTERING TONY (4), 5 to 4 on, 1; MADAM'S ROVER (3), 3 to 1 agst., 2; EVENING OUTLOOK (1), 5 to 1, 3. Also ran:—Good Looking Tart (5), 5 to 1; Yeaington Veteran (3), 8 to 1; Andrew's Dandy (2), 6 to 1. Time, 30.42 secs.

METROPOLITAN HURDLE—Mr. P. Barry's BAYTOWN PRINCE (1), 5 to 4 on, 1; PORTAIN RAVEN (3) 6 to 1 agst., 2; PARTHIAN'S PRIDE (4), 7 to 2 3, 3. Also ran:—Clodcap Castle (6), 5 to 1. 6l. 11 32.14 secs.

LEINSTER PLATE—Mr. J. Carroll's SON OF DUTCH (2), 5 to 4 on, 1; HASTY RELIEF (3), 10 to 1 agst., 2; BAYTOWN STAR (5), 6 to 1, 3. Also ran:—Bold Blacksmith (1), 5 to 1; Tempestuous (4) 4 to 1; Hoye's Heights (6), 4 to 1. Half a distance. 30.42 secs.

MUNSTER PLATE—Mr. J. Nolan's TENDERLION (1), evens 1; BALLY TOM (3), 5 to 1, 2; ELUSIVE LAD (5), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran:—Imbroc (2), 7 to 2; Knight of Gribben (6), 4 to 1; Magnolia Meadow (4), 6 to 1. A distance; 3l. 30.89 secs.

MIDLAND HANDICAP HURDLE—Mrs. M. Murphy's MISSING MONEY (scr.), 7 to 4, 1; FIALLACH (3 yds.), 3 to 1, 2; BAYTOWN PARK (scr.), 6 to 2, 3. Also ran:—Lancaster Gate (9 yards), 7 to 4 agst., 4; Ballyhaise, 5 to 1, 5. 31.65 secs.

SPRINT HURDLE (350 yards)—Mr. J. Clarke's FIRST ROSE OF SUMMER (1), 3 to 1, 1; BAY TOWN BAMBLER (3), 2 to 1, 2; ANOTHER EDDA (6), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran:—Crossgar (4), 6 to 4, 4. Distance; 4 l. 20.60 secs.

LIFFEY PLATE—Miss C. Kyle's KYLOCK CHIEF (2), 3 to 1, 1; NOVELTY (5), 6 to 1, 2; HAPPY RECOLLECTION (3), 2 to 1, 3. Also ran:—Kilmalinham Lass (4), 3 to 1; Rogerstown Lad (1), 7 to 1; Miss Meadow (6), 4 to 1. 21; 3l. 31.00 secs.

SHELBOURNE PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.15—525 YARDS—She's Brilliant, Myrce Fashion Hint, Adamstown Hero, Keep a Trump, Fairview Willie, Brilliant Cuff, Chears for Caherduff, Bold Reply.

8.30—525 YARDS (Gurdies)—Black Cloak, Lemon Master, Golden Rascal, Gypo, Calderwood Tom, Baytown Rambler.

8.45—525 YARDS (Hugh McAliadon Cup, Second Round, Heat 1)—Lack Terse, All Fork, Golden Bob, Sporting Flier, S. M. Oddity, Staunch Friend.

9.0—525 YARDS (Hugh McAliadon Cup, Heat 2)—Lively Larry, Jolly Racket, Young Godiva, Tonbeis, Fearless Vaughan, Really Ardent.

9.15—525 YARDS (Hugh McAliadon Cup, Heat 3)—Caller On, Share Together, Tall Fox, Myrce Robin, Lynn Laddie, Master II.

9.30—525 YARDS (Gurdies)—Japanese Stamp, Cocicea Castle, No Sport, Clooneen War Lord, The Bull, Baytown Prince.

9.45—525 YARDS—Wireless Dasher, She's Tidy, Negro's Brilliant, Belgrain, William the Conqueror, Silver Dermot, Silvery Sandills, Crystal Wave.

ENGLISH RACING

A SPEEDY RESUMPTION ADVISABLE

Plenty of Material for Middle Park and Dewhurst Stakes

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday Night.

GENERAL agreement can be expressed with the remark of *The Times* this morning on the Jockey Club's announcement about the resumption of racing. It is in the following terms: "Unless racing is begun quite definitely in the very near future a resumption will be merely a waste of time, as there will soon not be sufficient horses in training to make racing worth while before the end of the season."

That seems to summarise the entire situation in the briefest terms. I see a good deal of less sane discussion of the matter, and a Substitute St. Leger, as well as a Cesarewitch, Cambridgeshire and Middle Park Stakes, is being talked of as a probability. A Substitute St. Leger would only help to show us whether Turkhan has improved enough to reverse the New Derby running with Pont l'Eveque, and where would the horses come from to make up fields for a Cesarewitch and Cambridgeshire?

Plenty of Two-year-olds

A real Cesarewitch seems out of the question. A Cambridgeshire, if confined to three-year-olds, would fill well, but it would not be a Cambridgeshire. A Middle Park Stakes, and also a Dewhurst Stakes, are entirely feasible, and would provide the most interesting events that could be arranged; for there are plenty of two-year-olds in work. In fact, fully half, if not more, of the horses in training are of this age.

One of the few courses near London that is available is Hurst Park, and that is good enough to test two-year-olds. In the north there are available courses in Manchester, Catterick Bridge and Thirsk, but not many more. The possibility of official assent being given to racing at Newmarket is still doubtful.

More Than Doubtful

In this morning's newspapers we read, by permission of the Censor, of a daylight raid on Norwich, in which five people were killed. That East Anglian city is not a great distance from Newmarket, merely a "hop," in terms of aerial mileage, so anyone can work out for himself the possibility of racing being permitted on the July course next month.

The jumping people are delighted with the intimation which shows that the National Hunt Stewards, who did such valiant work last winter in keeping their sport going, are working vigorously for their interests. It was not their fault that so much of the good work which they had done was made null and void by the elements.

Adequate Supply of Jumpers

There should be plenty of horses for a jumping season, and good horses to boot. Miss Paget has kept all her fleet, and Owen Anthony would have a particularly strong team. Mr. Rank has not jettisoned his jumpers. Lord Stalbridge has a small, but strong, team. There are still several good ones in the stable of Ivor Anthony at Wroughton, and several other trainers have the material available.

A number of the smaller jumping stables have been closed altogether and their masters are serving in the forces, but there is no manner of doubt that there would be enough horses to satisfy all the requirements of the limited amount of racing which is all that can be hoped for.

Many Available courses

In addition to the older 'chasers there are the three-year-olds that could be put to hurdling. The Epsom trainers have heaps of this sort of material in sight. Then there are far more courses available for jumping than for flat racing—courses that are not regarded as important in the ordinary way, but are, nevertheless, good enough for the best horses to run on. This aspect of the question presents no difficulties.

Apart from the country meetings like Wetherby, Ludlow, Wincanton, and so on, Birmingham and Leicester in the Midlands, Catterick Bridge and Manchester in the North, and Windsor in the South, are all available. Although Hurst Park is available for flat racing, it is understood that the steeplechase course cannot be used at present.

GALTER MORE.

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING

NATIONAL TITLES MEETING

TO-MORROW'S CONTESTS AT FERMOY

The Fermoy enclosure is again the venue for the National Athletic and Cycling Championships of Ireland Championship meeting, which will be held to-morrow. A special train will leave Kingsbridge at 9 o'clock.

In addition to the track and field events, the 1,000 Metres and 10 Kilometres Cycling Championships are in the programme, but interest in the main will centre in the 100 yards, furlong, quarter-mile, half-mile and four miles, and as all the title-holders are entrants the meeting promises to be an exceptionally attractive one.

Last season the sprint was not given a place in the programme, the 60 yards being substituted and the 100 yards being run off at Croke Park, an experimental break with tradition that evidently was not a success. E. Fitzmaurice is the holder, and will be opposed by, in addition to Kevin O'Flanagan, C. J. Sheehan, J. R. Thornton and W. Nestor, Sheehan, at the Tramways Sports, surprised all by the convincing nature of his win off two yards, and even the two champions will find it hard to shake him off should they go to the final. Fitzmaurice, however, is in good form, and it is on the cards that he will retain his laurels and also the 220 yards. The entry for the quarter and half-mile is a very representative one. W. Beckett is the holder of each, but surprise hors are not unlikely. The four miles champion is J. Maguire, and the big field will include P. Healy and T. Burke.

E. Tobin will defend five titles. He is not at all likely to be seriously challenged for the 56lb. for height and distance, in which he is the outstanding specialist; but likely as not he will lose the hurdles, an event in which none of our athletes seem to be making much progress. The jumps should provide keen competition, but the U.C.D. man, T. Wall, should again assert himself in the high jump.

CRICKET

FINE RECOVERY BY MERRION

LAST MATCH OF QUEEN'S TOUR ENDS IN DRAW

Queen's University, playing the last match of their tour, had much the worse of a draw with Merrion yesterday at Anglesea road, as in reply to the home total of 123 for 8, they had only two wickets to spare and were 61 runs short of victory when time was up. Merrion made a bad start, and in half-an-hour six wickets fell for 20 runs. J. A. O'Donnell and J. D'Arcy then came to the rescue and added 48 for the seventh wicket, the innings being declared with eight wickets down. O'Donnell batted confidently, and hit four boundaries, while D'Arcy had three. D. G. Goodwin, who got his first four wickets in five overs for nine runs, was the most successful of the Northern bowlers.

The opening Queen's batsmen shaped well, but when they were separated a collapse set in, and in the end the side was hard set to save the game. Score:—

MERRION

S. Curley b Goodwin	0	J. A. O'Donnell not out	52
P. Waldron b Goodwin	0	T. Burke l.b.w. b Smith	3
P. A. Warren l.b.w. b Wylie	3	D. Corr not out	10
C. H. Hamilton c Goodwin b Smith	1	Extras	14
C. J. Little b Wylie	2		
S. O'Hara c Smith b Goodwin	7	Total (8 wkts.)	*123
D'Arcy c and b Smith	29		

*Innings declared.

Did not bat—S. Grace.

Bowling—Goodwin 4 for 31, W. C. Wylie 2 for 32, Smith 2 for 31, Hamilton 0 for 10, McAteer 0 for 5.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.

R. G. Craig c Burke b Warren	22	G. D. Smith b Little	0
B. M. Hamilton c O'Hara b Warren	15	W. C. Wylie b Mara	1
P. J. Pendlebury l.b.w. b Warren	4	T. M. Roulston not out	0
S. H. Carson l.b.w. b Mara	0	D. Burke c Burke b Little	0
J. F. J. Campbell b Little	4	Extras	5
Did not bat—D. G. Goodwin.		Total (8 wkts.)	63

Bowling—Mara 3 for 12, Little 2 for 12, Warren 3 for 19, Curley 0 for 15.

FIXTURES

TO-DAY.

SENIOR LEAGUE.

Leinster v. Phœnix (1st day). Rathmines, 2.30.
Merrion v. Clontarf. Anglesea road, 2.30.
Y.M.C.A. v. Pembroke. Claremont road, 2.30.

QUALIFYING LEAGUE.

Railway Union v. Malahide. Park avenue.
Monkstown v. Cremore. Serpentine avenue.

CLUB GAME.

Dublin University Long Vacation v. Civil Service College Park

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE.

St. James's Gate v. Leinster 2nd. Crumlin.
Phœnix 2nd v. Malahide. Phœnix Park.
North Kildare v. Pembroke 2nd. Kilcock.
Clontarf 2nd v. Richmond. Castle avenue.
Raheny v. Iverne. Raheny.
Irish v. Civil Service. Rugby.
Postal Service v. St. Mary's College. Santry.
Civil Service 2nd v. Merrion 2nd. Phœnix Park.
Portrane v. Monkstown 2nd. Portrane.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

MINOR LEAGUE

St. Mary's College 2nd v. Leinster 4th. Templeogue.

To-morrow.

Leinster 2nd v. Rush. Rathmines.
Pembroke 3rd v. Clontarf 3rd. Sydney parade.
Phœnix 2nd v. Phœnix. Phœnix Park.
Jacobs v. St. Mary's College 3rd. Rutland avenue.
Irish Times v. North Kildare. Milltown road, Glasnevin.
Woodstown v. Monkstown (1st day). Woodstown, Co. Waterford.

Monday.

Leinster v. Phœnix (2nd day). Rathmines, 11.30.
Clontarf v. Pembroke. Castle avenue, 11.30.
Phœnix 2nd v. Clontarf 2nd. Phœnix Park.
Raheny 2nd v. Civil Service 3rd. Raheny.
Shamrock Rovers v. St. Mary's College. Milltown.
Drogheda Y.M.C.A. v. North Kildare 2nd. Drogheda.
Blackrock v. Rush 2nd. Blackrock.
Woodstown v. Monkstown (2nd day). Woodstown, Co. Waterford.

TEAMS

Pembroke—B. F. Bergin (captain), W. F. Aylward, I. E. Cope, G. C. Erskine, A. G. Murray, S. G. Murphy, F. J. Miller, F. H. C. Salmon, T. F. Ward, M. B. Williams, P. G. Williamson.

Pembroke 2nd—B. P. Manning (captain), S. R. Anderson, P. J. Byrne, E. L. Crosby, P. H. Considine, P. M. Clifford, J. T. Egan, R. V. Kilmurray, F. S. Lomax, B. W. Miller, D. T. Murphy.

Pembroke (Monday)—B. F. Bergin (captain), W. F. Aylward, I. E. Cope, G. C. Erskine, A. G. Murray, S. G. Murphy, F. J. Miller, F. H. C. Smith, T. F. Ward, M. B. Williams, T. C. Williams.

Y.M.C.A.—G. J. Balmer, A. Beattie, G. A. Boate (captain), C. Colter, V. C. Dobson, R. I. Gill, W. Hanna, R. W. Hind, J. H. Ross, W. Row, P. L. Wolfe.

Merrion.—J. A. O'Donnell, S. Curley, J. D'Arcy, K. G. Dempsey, W. Lindsay, J. J. Little, C. Mara, J. D. O'Connor, R. H. Smyth, E. Waldron, D. Warren.

Merrion 2nd—A. R. Bay, P. H. Browett, T. Burke, Corr, P. J. Lane, D. Smith, D.

STOCK MARKETS END WEEK ON CAUTIOUS NOTE

DUBLIN

Markets were busier on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and, even despite the holiday week-end, they closed on a good note. Local issues attracted a good deal of attention, and presented a firm appearance on a little support. Leading Industrials were hovering round their previous levels.

Home Government Funds inclined higher, apart from 4 p.c. Land Bonds, which eased to 99⅞, Conversion Loan rose to 109⅛ and 4½ p.c. Land Bonds advanced to 106. 3½ p.c. War Loan improved to 99 11/16. Corporation issues were scarce. Banks enjoyed support, apart from Provincial Old, which shaded off to 28/6. Bank of Ireland stock gained a point, and Munster and Leinsters advanced ½ to 87/-, while Nationals were raised to 29/-.

Guinness units came into demand, and strengthened 2/3 to 61/-. Great Southern Guar. dropped to 19, but the Deb. made further headway to 42. Arnott Deb. lost a fraction, but Clondalkin Paper Deb. hardened to 5/11⅔. Dublin Artisans' Dwellings tended higher, and Magnire and Gatchell Pref. advanced to 76/-. Solus "B" Ord. gained several pence at 31/-, and Alex. Thom Deb. firmed up to 89. But Goodbody Ord. shaded off to 21/3.

Coats Ord. hardened to 26/3, but B.A.T. Ord. eased the turn. Imperial Chemical Ord. repeated 24/4½. Lever Bros. Ord. quoted 18/7½ and Shell Transport Ord. 33/11⅔.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—5 p.c. Second National Loan (101⅛-- 1074; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (96½) 96⅝; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (109⅜) *102⅛; do. (under £200) (102¼) 102¼; 3½ p.c. Financial Agreement (99⅞) 99⅞; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (1053/52) *103½; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (1054) 105⅜ *106; do. (under £200) (105¾) 106¼; do. New (under £200) (101¾) 101⅝, and 4 p.c. Land Bonds (100) 99⅞. **BRITISH FUNDS**—3½ p.c. War Loan (99⅞) 99 11/16, and 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan (99⅜) *100.

CORPORATION STOCKS—Dublin 3½ p.c. 1944 (94⅛- 94½b; do. 4 p.c. 1960/85 (91) 91; do. 4 p.c. 1955/60 (93¼) 93¼b; do. 4½ p.c. 1956/77 (96½) 96½b; do. 4½ p.c. 1955/75 (100) 100b; do. 5 p.c. 1946/76 (102¼) 102¼b; do. 5 p.c. 1950/70 (102) 102b 104a, and Rathmines and Rathgar 3½ p.c. (77⅓) *77½. **BANKS**—Bank of Ireland (241) 242; Munster and Leinster (86/-) 87/-; National (28/6) *29/-, and Provincial Old (29/-) 28/6.

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES—Guinness Ord. (58/9) 61/-. **RAILS, TRAMS, ETC.**—Great Northern Deb. (394) 394b; Great Southern Pref. (81) 74½; do. Guar. (20¼) 19; do. Deb. (41¼) 42, and Dublin Tram Ord. (8/3) *8/3. **GAS**—Alliance Gas Ord. (20/6) 20/6b. **BAKERY AND MILLING**—Ranks (Ireland) Ord. (16/-) 16/-. **DRAPERIES**—Arnott Deb. (73½) 74. **IRISH INDUSTRIALS**—Cement Ord. (27 4½) 27/3; 27/6a; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (4/10½) 5/1½; Dickens Leather Ord. (18/-) 19/-b; Dublin Artisans' Dwellings (103½) *101½; Goodbody Ord. (21/6) 21/3; Independent "B" Ord. (35/-) 35/-b; Irish Pharma Pref. (11/6) 11/-b 13/-a; Irish Dunlop Pref. (24/-) *24/-; Irish Sugar Pref. (22/6) *22/6; Jordan (L.) Ord. (23/-) 23/-b; Maguire and Gatchell Pref. (75/3) 76/-; Malt Products (Ireland) Ord. (36/-) 36/-b; Solus "B" Ord. (30/3) *31/-; Sunbeam Wolsey Ord. (28/3) 28/6a, and Alex. Thom Deb. (88⅛) *89.

IRISH HOTELS AND INDUSTRIALS—Anglo-Dutch Plantations of Java 15/4½; B.A.T. Ord. (73/6) 73/4½; Coats (J. and P.) Ord. (26/11½) 26/3; Imperial Chemical Ord. (24/4½) 24/4½; do. Pref. (89/6) 89/-; Lever Bros. Ord. 18/4½; do. 7 p.c. Pref. 23/-; do 8 p.c. Pref. 21/11½; Lysaght (J.) Deb. 102⅜; Malayalam Plantations 22/9; Rubber Plantations Trusts 23/3; Shell Transport Ord. (33/9) 33/11½; Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref. 17 4½, and Victoria Falls Power Pref. 32/-.

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash.

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE

Irish Banks' Rate (changed Oct. 26, 1939)... 3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred ... 3½ %
Deposits under £2,000 ... 1½ %
Deposits of £2,000 and over ... 1¼ %

The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

GRAIN.

DUBLIN GRAIN — Fair offerings, but few anxious buyers at:—Oats 17/- to 18/6 per barrel, delivered.

THE BALTIC.—WHEAT—A steady tone resulted, and Canadian grades were occasionally 1½d. per qr. dearer. MAIZE quietly steady. BARLEY inactive.

MARK LANE.—Business quiet, with supplies light and prices occasionally dearer. WHEAT—English milling: Fixed price 65/3 per 504lb. at farm; imported feeding £7 4/1 per ton ex store. BARLEY—English malting: new 58/- per 448lb. at farm. OATS—English feed: New maximum price 45/6, milling ditto 45/6 per 336lb. at farm.

LIVERPOOL CORN.—The attendance at yesterday's corn market was about an average, and more or less inquiry was experienced for cereals generally the demand being satisfied as far as possible by the Port Area Grain Committee at fixed prices distributing agents debiting haulage and carriage. WHEAT firm, with old crop practically finished, new crop being quoted 14/6 per cwt., but no quotations made yesterday. MAIZE continued firm at £10 per ton, but no allocations made yesterday. FLOUR—Deliveries fair at 25/6 per sack for straight-run delivered, and 25/8 to 26/- for imported, hauc included, the advance in wheat being covered to millers by an additional subsidy. OATS firm at 14/6 per cwt. for new crop, old crop being now obtainable. PEAS still nominal at 27/6 per cwt. for New Zealand and 28/- Tasmanian. WHEATFEEDS in limited supply and fair request at 8/7½ per cwt. for bran and thirds. Wheat and Maize futures under control.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN POULTRY—Market well supplied with all classes, with demand steady for best quality, otherwise sales and prices showed a weaker trend at:—Chickens, best 1/1 to 1/2 per lb., others 1/6 to 2/-, each; ducklings, best 10d. to 1/- per lb., second 2/6 to 2/-, old 6d. to 1/- each; fat hens second 2/- to 2/6, others 1/- to 1/6; best graziers 6d. to 7d., smalls 2d. to 4d., and rabbits 4d. to 6d. each.

DUBLIN POTATO—No market on Friday.

DUBLIN BUTTER and EGG—Creams in excess of quiet trade at 159/- per cwt. cash and 161/- credit sales. Egg production reported small, with specials and ducks scarce. Trade generally fair inside the following prices:—Specials 18/- to 18/6, standards 17/- to 17/6, selected 16/- to 16/6, pullets 15/- to 15/6, seconds 14/- to 15/-, and selected ducks 15/6 to 16/- per 120.

DUBLIN FISH.—Supplies included 34 packages salmon, 10 boxes lobsters, 73 boxes herrings, 90 boxes mackerel and a small amount from country and local senders. Demand good at:—Salmon and grilse, best 1/6 to 1/10, secondary 1/3 to 1/6; trout 1/6 to 1/7 per lb., soles 3/- to 48/- per 9 pairs, turbot 6d. to 12/-, brill 3/- to 4/-, each, lobsters 4/- to 24/- per 13, herrings 22/6 to 50/-, mackerel 15/- to 26/-, plaice 24/- to 70/-, dabs 12/6 to 27/-, ray 6/- to 22/-, whiting 9/- to 30/-, pollock 20/- to 38/-, and white soles 20/- to 60/- per box.

LONDON—BUTTER — Importer to wholesaler 143/-, wholesaler to retailer 150/- per cwt., and retail price 1/7 per lb. BACON and HAMS—Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarter sides 131/6, Scotch Sweeners 111/6, middles 122/6, backs cut in U.K. 141/6, cut outside U.K. 131/6; streaks 84/6, clear bellies 89/6; gammons or hams, green 118/6, smoked 128/6; Ulster rolls, boneless green 125/6, smoked 133/6; Ayrshire rolls, boneless and skinless 136/5 to 157/6 per cwt. LARD—Importer to wholesaler 64/-, wholesaler to retailer 69/- per cwt.

MANCHESTER — Butter firm, with steady demand; first-hand price 143/-, wholesalers 150/-. BACON—Available supplies continue satisfactory and adequate for current allocation prices of nominated wholesalers: Wiltshire cut sides 115/6, three-quarters 122/6; Sweaters and Cumberlands 111/6, middles 122/6, backs cut in U.K. 141/6, outside 131/6; streaks 84/6, clear bellies 89/6, fores and square 70/-, fore hocks and picnics 70/6; N. Ireland rolls 123/6. Wholesaler to retailer—Wiltshire 125/-, three-quarters 133/-; Sweaters and Cumberlands 123/-, middles 134/-, backs cut in U.K. 153/-, outside 143/-; streaks 96/-, clear bellies 101/-, fores and squares 104/-, fore hocks and picnics 82/-. N. Ireland rolls 135/-. HAMS—Good inquiry, with short supplies; unsmoked to wholesalers 118/6, to retailers 130/-, smoked 10/- extra. LARD—English reduced and imported remains steady to firm; first-hand price 64/-, wholesalers 69/-. CHEESE—Lancashire and Cheshire very firm, with active demand; Colonial unchanged. EGGS—Eireann firm on short supplies; special and standards 19/6, selected 17/-; English, and Northern Ireland very scarce and more or less nominal; English standards 58/-, Northern Ireland specials 27/6, standards 25/-, selected 22/6.

MANCHESTER MEAT—Supplies ample for all purposes, veal in excess of demand, and business rather on slow side. Home-killed beef sides 7d. to 9d., hindquarters 9d. to 10d., forequarters 6d. to 8d.; first quality lambs 1/-, best fat veal calves 11d., others 7d. to 9d. PORK—Best 1/- to 1/0d., heavier 9½d. to 10d. Imported best hindquarters 8d., forequarters 6d; mutton 6½d., lambs 9d.; pigs 9d. per lb.

MANCHESTER SALMON and POULTRY—The quality of the salmon now coming to hand is showing signs of the lateness of the season, but fresh supplies and grilse maintain late rates. best quality fish and grilse 2/4 to Irish salmon quoted up to 2/8 and grilse 2/4 to 2/6 per lb. In dead poultry, chickens easier, but fowls firmer; good ducklings rather scarce; Irish and English chickens 1/5 to 1/6, fowls 10d. to 11d., ducklings 1/4 per lb.

GRIMSBY FISH — Salmon 2/6 to 2/8, grilse 2/4 per lb., lemon soles 12/-, small haddocks 7/- to 8/-, medium 9/- to 10/-, jumbos 9/- to 10/-, sprags 12/6 to 13/6, haddocks, sprags grade on cwt. 17/-, bake 10/- to 11/-, joker 11/- to 12/-, dabs 5/- to 11/-, dogfish 11/6, whiting 7/6, coalfish 8/-, monkfish 7/-, smoked haddocks 13/6 to 15/- per stone.

LIVERPOOL.—The firmness in provisions generally continued, all commodities moving under official arrangements without alteration from controlled prices. BACON—The difficulty with regard to supplies and high shippers' prices of Northern Irish still exists, and the market remained nominal. Wholesalers' prices for specials 27/6, standards 25/-, selected 22/6; English standards 26/-, Eircan maximum rates for specials and standards 19/6, selected and pullet 17/- per 120.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—COCOA quiet; Accra G.F. spot London sellers 78/-, ditto Liverpool 35/- per cwt. SPICE—Pepper firm; black Lampong spot in bond buyers 3d. August-September quoted 2 9-16d. GUNNIES—Hessians firmer; 10-oz. by 40-Augusta shipment sellers 27/6, 8-oz. ditto 21/3 per 100 yards c.i.f. Twills steady. RUBBER closed irregular; sheet spot sold 1/1. August 1/0¾ to 1/0¾, September 1/0⅝, October-December 1/0⅝ to 1/0⅝, January-March 1/0⅝ to 1/- and 1/0⅜. OILS—The following are selling prices for material allocated to the primary wholesalers, and large trade consumers:—Linseed: Raw £44, Raps: Crude £44 5/-. Cottonseed: Crude £31 2/6, washed £34 5/-, refined £35 12/6, deodorised £38 10/-. Soya Bean: Crude £33, refined deodorised £37. Groundnut: Crude £35 10/-, refined deodorised £40, hardened £44. Cocoanut: Crude £32 2/6, refined deodorised £41 7/6, refined hardened deodorised £50 10/-, hardened £55 5/-. Castor: Firsts £37, seconds £35. Whale: Crude £30 10/-, to £31 10/-, refined hardened £33 to £35 10/-, per ton net naked ex mill or works. Palm Oil—Groundnut: Crude £38 10/- (nominal). Palm Kernel: Crude £37 10/-, refined £39, hardened £41 5/-. TALLOW—Australian steady. English Regulus spot 100 p.c. £106 to £107, 90 p.c. £96 to £97; Invalus £95 to £96 per ton.

Markets quietly steady. The following are approximate shippers' indications on the basis of the Government freight and insurances:—Linseed: Calcutta August-September £16 12/6, Bombay ditto £17 2/6; Plate nominal. Rapeseed: Coria August-September £15 9/6. Groundnuts:—Coromandel August-September £15 19/6. Castorseed:—Bombay August-September £17 15/-, Calcutta ditto £17 5/-. Soya Beans:—Manchurian August-September £15. Palm Kernels:—West African August-September £10. Copra:—Manchurian August-September £33 per ton.

LIVERPOOL—COCOA—Very little enquiry experienced for West African, but prices remain steady and unaltered. Sellers of good fermented Accra on the spot at 35/-, in bond ex store Liverpool, and of afloat parcels at 33/- c.i.f. per 50 kilos to the United Kingdom.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY and STRAW—Hay supplies small, with demand and prices improved at:—Best 4/- to 4/3 and 4/6, secondary and softer classes 3/- to 3/6 per cwt. Straw scarce and readily placed around 8/- to 8/6 per cwt.

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LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN again easier. On balance official quotations were 55/- per ton lower for cash and 45/- down forward. Standard cash quoted £265 to £265 5/-, three months £263 5/- to £263 10/-; settlement £265. Sales amounted to 225 tons: cash at £265 15/- to £265, three months £264 10/- to £263 10/-; last nominally £275 5/- per ton. Yesterday's stocks: English Regulus 100, Straits 1,000, Australian 100, Banka 100, Billiton 100, total 1,300 tons.

LONDON

Turnover on the London Stock Markets yesterday showed little expansion, but, while the general disposition was to act with caution in front of the week-end, few operators attempted to further reduce commitments and, in fact, buyers were more in evidence than on recent days. The resumption of demand, even on a small scale, was soon reflected in sentiment, and, although some groups were unable to shake off their recent dullness, prices generally were pointed upwards during the later dealings.

The rise in Oil shares made fresh headway, and Industrials gave a better account of themselves, with Aircrafts featuring. Handley Page again showed to particular advantage on further consideration of the good dividend and results, and Bristols proved another active spot. Rubber shares also had some firm features, and several British Rails came in for demand at the lower level reached earlier in the week.

After a somewhat hesitant start, Gilt-edged securities joined in the improvement, and, although business was by no means brisk, quotations all round were on the up-grade in the final stages. Old Consols eventually were ¼ up at 73⅛, while Old War Loan Conversion 3½ per cent. and Funding Fours all put on ¼. India Stocks lagged behind their neighbours, and, similarly, most Dominion and Colonial issues remained at their previous closing rates. Among Foreign Bonds, Brazilians preserved a firm tone, and, in response to fresh inquiries, the 20-year and 40-year Fundings advanced afresh to 33½ and 22 respectively. Other bonds claimed scant attention, and Japanese issues experienced another dull session, the 6 per cent. of 1924 declining further to 23½.

A weak spot in the European group was Hungarian 4½ per cent. Sterling Bonds, which fell heavily to 8¼. There was no material expansion in trading in British Rails, but, in contrast to recent days, the business put through resulted from a revival of demand, and quotations rapidly developed a firmer trend. Great Western Ord. and Southern Pref'd, were both prominent in the recovery, the former adding ½ to 39½, while the latter gained a point to 46½. Other favoured issues included L.M.S. Ord. and London Transport 4% "C".

The senior issues seldom showed any alteration.

INDUSTRIALS QUIET

Quiet conditions prevailed in the Industrial Market, but while no special features were provided, a satisfactory tendency prevailed throughout the day in most sections, and, in fact, price changes finally recorded favoured holders in the majority of cases.

There was less doing in Breweries, and, while Bass rose 1/-, Charringtons fell 1/-, others being unchanged. Tobaccos also made an irregular showing. B.A.T.'s met with a moderate inquiry and rose ½, but Imps. were down to this extent, and Tobacco Securities fell ¼.

Aircraft issues met with quite good support, to which prices were not slow to respond. De Havillands and Handley-Pages each improved ½, Bristols put on 1/-, and Faireys also finished higher. There was little doing in Motors, although Rolls-Royce rose ¼, and Joseph Lucas put on ⅛.

A distinctly firmer tendency prevailed in the Iron, Coal and Steel group. Selling pressure was relaxed, and although demand was small, price changes were all in the upward direction. Improvements, however, were of small amount.

Electricals made an irregular showing, English Electric rose 1/-, and Generals improved 6d., but Crompton and Henleys left off easier. Shell, Supply group, County of London and North-Eastern hardened.

Continued firmness in Furness-Withy, which put on another 9d., was the main feature among Shipping shares.

In the Stores group, Woolworths met with buyers in a small way, and improved 6d., and Harrods were also 6d. up. There was little doing among Provision and Catering shares, Elsewhere, Courtaulds rose to 26s. 9d., Associated Portland Cement to 2¾, Boots to 37/-, and Spillers to 2¼.

Dunlops gained 3d., but Imperial Chemicals were the turn lower.

MINES GENERALLY STEADY

Mining shares wound up the week in an unenterprising fashion yesterday. As on Wednesday and Thursday, business was exceptionally small, and though the tendency generally was steady enough there were few movements of much importance at the close.

Kaffirs held their ground quite well without claiming much attention. Occasionally, however, the producers enjoyed some investment inquiry, and thus sallies further hardened fractionally to 41s., while East Daggas, which earlier in the week had been notably dull, rallied well to 24s. Sub Nigel and Crowns were both ½ to the good among the heavies, and fractional rises were marked in Daggas Nigel, Randfontein, Kleinfontein, Robinson Deep B and West Rand Consols, the last-named at 1½ being a good market following the record return.

Small gains in Anglo-American and in the Rand Selection were about the only movements among Finance issues.

Other Gold shares were not much altered, although in the West Africans Ashantie strengthened to 2. Ariston at 5/6 was unaffected by the reduction in the interim to 5 per cent.

In the Diamond list small buying left Anglo Trusts a fraction higher at 5s., while De Beers Defd. put on ⅛ to 35s. Consolidated Diamonds Pref. at 5/- also showed to advantage.

Rhodesian Coppers were a shade firmer, Roans, Rhokanas, Rhonglos Selection Trust and B.S.T. all being something to the good. The rest of the Base Metal shares remained uncertain. In Tins Petaling and South Malayan were both 1/32 lower.

OILS AND RUBBERS

Some slackening of interest in Oils yesterday was hardly surprising at the week-end, following the improvement of the two preceding days. Any attempts to lower prices, however, met with strong resistance, and, in fact, there were buyers in the market of the better class issues throughout the day. The whole market closed with a distinctly firm appearance, due to the fact that the demand, although small, found stocks in poor supply.

Trinidad issues continued in favour, and further advanced. Leaseholds were again in request, and further rose ¼ to 3¼. Centrals once more met with buyers attracted by the appreciable increase in profit last year. The prime improved 1s. to 6s. 9d. United British advanced 9d. to 6s. 6d., and Apex and the P.D. strengthened to 2s. 3d. and 2s. 2½d., respectively. Shells, which eased at one period to 1¼, rallied to finish at the overnight's level of 1¼. Anglo-Iranians advanced ¼ to 1¼, and Burmahs gained another ¼ at 2¼.

Elsewhere, Anglo-Egyptian "B" improved ¼ to 1¼, but Anglo-Ecuadorians left off slightly easier at 15s. 9d.

The firm tone dismayed by Rubber Shares on the preceding days of the week became quite pronounced yesterday. Numerous inquiries were again received, and, although business was restricted to some extent by a shortage of stock, the market finished the day on a very firm tone with a fairly wide range of the leading and outside issues quoted at higher levels. Among the leaders United Sua Betongs, Malayalams and Rubber Trusts were notably firm.

CHANGES ON WEEK

The following are the rises and falls in stocks and shares dealt in on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week, as compared with the prices recorded or dealt in on July 26th:—

RISES.

	Price, July 26.	Price, Aug. 2.
Second Nat. Loan	107	107½
Agricultural Loan	99½	99¾
4½ p.c. Land Bonds	105¾	106
4 p.c. Land Bonds	99⅛	99½
Agr. Cr. (1st Ser.)	103	103¼
3½ p.c. War Loan	99⅛	99⅝
Bank of Ireland	241½	242
M. and L. Bank	85/0	87/0
Nationals	27/6	29/-
Beer Ratcliff	100/0	101/6
Guinness Pref.	12½	12¾
G.N.R. Deb.	39½	39⅞
G.S.R. Deb.	41	42
Alliance Gas Ord.	20/0	20/6
Cement Ord.	26/0	27/4½
Cement Deb.	103	103½
Clondalkin Paper	4/10½	5/1½
Deb. Artic. Dwells.	104	104½
Fry-Cadbury Pref.	20/3	20/6
Irish Sugar Pref.	22/6	22/6
Irish Tanners Ord.	7/6	8/0
Alex. Thom Deb.	88½	89
Coats	25/0	26/3
Courtaulds	25/6	26/6

FALLS.

	Price, July 26.	Price, Aug. 2.
Fourth Nat. Loan	97	96½
Conversion Loan	109⅜	109⅛
Provincial Bank	29/0	28/6
Guinness Ord.	65/3	61/0
Ranks (L) Ord.	16/6	16/0
Arnott Deb.	74	73½
Goodbody Ord.	21/6	21/3
Goulding Ord.	21/3	21/0
Pyrs (L) Ord.	4/7½	4/3

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY and STRAW—Hay supplies small, with demand and prices improved at:—Best 4/- to 4/3 and 4/6, secondary and softer classes 3/- to 3/6 per cwt. Straw scarce and readily placed around 8/- to 8/6 per cwt.

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LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN again easier. On balance official quotations were 55/- per ton lower for cash and 45/- down forward. Standard cash quoted £265 to £265 5/-, three months £263 5/- to £263 10/-; settlement £265. Sales amounted to 225 tons: cash at £265 15/- to £265, three months £264 10/- to £263 10/-; last nominally £275 5/- per ton. Yesterday's stocks: English Regulus 100, Straits 1,000, Australian 100, Banka 100, Billiton 100, total 1,300 tons.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Dealings prohibited. ‖ Ex bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.	Rise or Fall
Consols 2½%	72⅝	73⅛ +¼
Do. 4%	107½	108 +¼
Do. 5% Fd	99¾	100 +¼
3½% War Loan	99⅛	100 +¼
War Loan 3% fully paid	100¾	100¾ +¼
Funding Loan	110¾	111⅛ +¼
Victory Bonds	110	110⅛ +¼
3% Conversion Loan	100⅛	101⅛ +¼
Do. do.	100¼	100¾ +¼
5% do.	109½	109¾ +¼
4% Land (1905)	78½	78½ +½
I.F.S. 4½% Land Bonds	104	104
	79	79½
	91½	91¾
Do. 3½%	83⅛	83⅝
Local Loans	100⅜	100⅝
National Def. 3½%	100⅜	101½ +⅛

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Security.	Price.	Rise or Fall.	Security.	Price.	Rise or Fall.
Aust. 5% '45-75	102		Qld. 5% '40-60	100½	
4½% '56-70	100½		5% '54-64	93	
3½% '48-53	97½		3½% '25-55	99	
Can. 4% '40-60	100		Aust. 5% '45-75	101½	
M.S.W. 5% '45-75	101½		4% '40-60	98½	
4% '42-62	98½		W. Aust. 4% '40-60	98½	
N.Z. 5% '45-65	84½		5% '45-75	101½	
3½% '55-60	93		W. Aust. 3½% '45-75	101	
Nigr. 6%	113½		3½% '42-62	98½	

BRITISH RAILS.

Gt. Western	28½	+¼	
Do. 5% Pref	78		
L.M.S. Ord	12½	+½	
Do. 4% Pref	48½		
Do. 5% Rd Pf			
Do. 4% Pf	72½		
Do. 4% Pf '23	33½		
L.N.E.R. Ord.	7½	+½	
Do. Def.	2½		

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Ar.Gt.W. 5% Deb.	21½		
B.A. Mid. 4% Deb.	52½		
B.A. Gt. Sth. Deb.	4	-1	
B.A. & Pac. 4% Deb.	50½		
Do.Con. 4½% Deb.	20		

FOREIGN BONDS.

Braz. 4% '27	12¼	+¼	
Lo. 5% Fd '90	33	-½	
Do. 50Y. A	32½	+½	
Do. 40Yr B	22		
Chi. 4½% '98	29		

BANKS.

Bk. of Eng.	325		
Bk. of Mont.	45		
Barclay's	87½	-½	
Lloyds	40/0	+2/0	
Martins	61½		

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

Bass Ratcliff	104/6	+1/0	
Br. Col. Van.	13/6		
Distillers	55/9		
Walker-Cain	16/6	-6d.	

DRAPERY AND STORES.

Burton	⅜		
Gamage	3½		
Harrods	27/6	+0/6	

Marks & S.	33/0		
Selfridges	5		
Woolworth	53/6	+0/6	

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

City of Lond.	21/0		
Co. of Lond.	28/6	+0/6	
N. Eastern	21/9	+3d	

Edmundsons	21/9		
Lancashire	25/6		
Whitehall P.	9/0	-6d.	

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS.

Assoc. Elec.	36/0		
Br. Insuld.	3⅝		
Callenders	21½		
Crom. Park'n	14/9	-0/3	
English Elec	28/0	+1/0	

E. Rdy. G.B.	21/0		
Gen. Elec.	68/6	+0/6	
Henley's Tel	16/0	-0/3	
Siemens	17/6		
Tmsn. & Ph.	36/3		

INSURANCE.

Alliance&Nw Ldn. & Lan.	15		
Pearl	19½		
Phœnix £10	11¼		
London Ass.	10½		

Prudential	20		
R. Exchange	6½		
Royal	6¾		
Sun Life	5		

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

Allied Iron	1⅜		
Babcock&W.	32/0		
Baldwins	4/1½		
Bolsover Col	39/0		
Brown(John)	19/6	+0/3	
B.S.A	10/3	+0/3	
Cammell Ld.	5/3		
Colvilles	15/9	+0/3	
Consett Iron	5/3		
Cory (Wm.)	3⅜		
Dorman Long	15/9		
Firth Brown	9/2		

Guest Keen.	20/6	+0/6	
Hadfields	17/9		
Jessop & P.	8/6	+0/3	
Jewell Dunc.	12/6	+0/3	
Lancs.Steel	8/9		
Ruston & H.	21/3		
Sth Durham	29/6		
Staveley	38/9		
Stew & L. Df.	34/6	+0/3	
Thomas (R.)	2/3	+0/1½	
Utd. Steel	17/0		
Vickers	13/3	+0/3	

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

Cov. Garden	3¾		
Forestal Ld.	20/0		

Hudson's B.	21/0	-0/9	
Sudan Plts.	16/0	-0/3	

MOTORS AND AEROPLANES.

Austin (5/-)	12/6		
Boulton & Pl.	9		
Bristol Aero.	9/9	+1/0	
De Havilland	1	+⅛	
Fairey Avn.	9/9	+0/3	
Ford	15/0		

Hawker Sid.	8/6		
Leyland	29⅛		
Morris	19/3		
Rolls Royce	2⅞	+⅛	
Standard	9/3		
Tilling (T.)	11 11/16		

NEWSPAPERS.

Allied News.	9/0	+0/6	
Assoc. Def.	8/6	+0/3	

Dly.Mail Tst	2/3	+0/3	
Sun.Pictorial	10/3		

OILS.

Anglo-Persian	1⅞	+1/32	
Do. 8% 1st Pref.	21/9		
Do. 9% 2nd Pref.	22/0		
Apex (Trin.)	21/6	+0/3	
Attock	1 15/16		
Burmah	2¼	+⅛	
Can. Eagle	14/0		
Kern Oil	3/0		
A-Ecuad.	15/9	-3d.	
A-Egypt. B	1½	+⅛	

Lobitos	1 7/16		
London and Thames H.	5/0		
Mex. Eagle	4/0		
Phœnix	1/3*		
Royal Dutch	21½		
Shell	1 11/16		
Trinidad L.	3 5/16	+1/16	
Trinidad Con.	2 15/16	+1/16	
Tankers Pref.	4/0	-6d.	
Trinidad Cl.	6/9	+1/0	

BONDS.

U.S. Treasury 3½% '46-56			
7% German External Loan	21	21	

† Ex dividend.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS

Wheat steady. No. 1 Northern Manitoba spot c.i.f. New York 83½. No. 2 Manitoba spot c.i.f. New York 81¾. No. 3 hard winter spot c.i.f. New York 94. No. 2 red winter spot 93½. **Maize** easy, 1½c. down. Western No. 2 mixed spot 79½. **Oats** barely steady. No. 2 white, per 34lb., spot c.i.f. New York 43¾. **Rye** barely steady. No. 2 spot f.o.b. New York 63½. **Barley** steady, unchanged. **Flour** steady, generally unchanged. **Lard** easy, 10 points down. **Pork** steady. **Western steam**—loose spot 5.12½; Middle West 5.75 to 5.85. **Petroleum** and **Turpentine** steady. **Tallow** steady. **Turpentine**—Spot 21½. **Straits Tin** barely steady, 30 points down. Closing options—August 50.00 (51.50), Sept. 50.70 (51.00). **American Standard Copper** easy, 17 to 19 points down. Closing options—Sept. 9.60 to 9.65 (9.75 to 9.80), Oct. 9.61 to 9.65 (9.75 to 9.85). **Sugar** on spot closed quiet with both Eic and Santos unchanged. **Cocoa**—Spot 4½. **Futures** closed very steady, 6 to 7 points up. Closing options—Sept. 4.08 (4.01), Oct. 4.13 (4.05), Dec. 4.25 (4.17), Jan. 4.29 (4.21). **Sugar** on spot closed steady and unchanged at 3.63. **Cotton** on spot (18/16") closed 1 point higher at 9.38 (nominal). **Futures** opened steady, with quotations generally unchanged. **New Orleans** unchanged. **Rubber Futures** (No. 1 contract)—Tendency steady, 10 to 24 points up. Closing options—Sept. 19.50 (19.33), Oct. 19.35 (19.08), Dec. 19.05 (18.82), Jan. 18.95 (18.73). **Outside prices**—Tendency dull. First latter thin crepe spot 19; buyers; smoked ribbed sheets spot 19¼; buyers, 19¾ sellers; Sept. 19¾ buyers; Oct.-Dec. 18 buyers, 19¼ sellers. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

WINNIPEG GRAINS

Wheat—Futures quiet and unchanged. **Oats** steady, ¼c. up to unchanged. October, 23¾ (23⅞); December, 27¼ (27½). **Rye** easy, 1½c. to 1¾c. down. October, 44½ (45¾); December, 45½ (46¾). **Barley** and **linseed** steady and unchanged. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

ARGENTINE GRAINS

Buenos Aires.—**Wheat** barely steady, unchanged to 7 points down. **Maize** barely steady, 2 points down to 1 point up. **Oats** and **linseed** nominal. **Rye**.—**Wheat** barely steady, unchanged to 5 points down. **Maize** steady, unchanged. **Linseed** nominal.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Wheat opened steady at ⅛c. up to 1c. down, but closed easy at ⅛c. to 1c. loss. No. 2 hard winter, spot, 76¾ (77½); No. 3 hard winter, spot, 76¼ (76¾). **Options**—Closing, September 76 (75¾), December 76¾ (76¾), May 77 (77¼). Closing options—September 75¾ to 75¾ (76 to 75¾), December 76 (76¾ to 76⅛), May opened irregular at ⅛c. higher to 1c. lower, but closed 1c. to 1½c. decline. Opening options—September 61

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AUCTIONS.

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FURNITURE AUCTION,

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 7th INST., at 12 o'clock, at

328 HAROLD'S CROSS ROAD.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY NEXT, 8th INST.,

At 1.15, at our Property Salerooms, South Great George's Street,

ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT, MUST BE SOLD,

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PROFIT RENT OF £98 1s. 0d. PER ANNUM.

SHOP AND 2 FLATS OVERHEAD.

The Shop let at £156 per an.; the Flat on the first floor to Tenant; Garage let at 4/- per week; the other on the second floor is let at 15/- per week, showing a gross estimated income of £357 per an., which, after deducting head rent and rates, shows a net profit rent of £98 1s. 0d. per an.

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THE GROSS RENT OF £180 14s. 6d. collections, arises out of a Plot of Ground, consisting of 6 ACRES 3 ROODS 9 PERCHES, ON WHICH THE IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND STANDS; also 183 to 167 (odd numbers) S.C. ROAD, Nos. 10 to 12 ST. ANNE'S, OFF S.C. ROAD, and Nos. 14 to 21 LULLYMORE TERRACE, GRAND CANAL, and Plot of Ground on South Side of Grand Canal, containing 3 ACRES 3 ROODS 21 PERCHES, STATUTE.

Deducting the Head Rent of £105 shows a net profit of £75 14s. 6d., which is secured by A TOTAL POOR LAW VALUATION OF £2,982, OF WHICH £2,400 IS THE P.L.V. OF THE IMPERIAL TOBACCO CO.

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97 and 98 Lower Gardiner street are let in tenements.

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The whole produces a gross rent of £226 0s. 0d. per annum, and shows a Net Profit Rent, after deducting head rents and rates, of £121 9s. 8d. per annum.

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HOUSE AND FURNITURE,

ON THE PREMISES AT 12 O'CLOCK AT

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A non-basement, pre-war brick house, close to city.

Accommodation—2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom (h. & c.), wash basin and lavatory, tiled kitchen, pantry, wash-house; electric light and power, gas; outside lavatory. Garden and large garage.

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The House will be Sold at 12 o'clock, and the Furniture immediately afterwards.

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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 14th and 15th AUGUST,

At 12 Noon.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED BY MR. S. MORRIS (WHO FOR THE PAST 24 YEARS HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED AS JEWELLER AND ANTIQUE DEALER, AND IS NOW RETIRING FROM BUSINESS) TO SELL

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at

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DUNLAVIN, CO. MEATH	70 „ „	No Residence.
GARRISTOWN, CO. DUBLIN	101 „ „	do.
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ATTRACTIVE, SEMI-DETACHED, PRE-WAR, NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE. POSSESSION. Nicely situated; good order and well equipped with electric and power, also gas. Contains:—2 reception rooms (folding doors), 5 bedrooms, bath and wash basin (h. and c.), kitchen (patent range), kitchenette. Nice garden front and rear, side entrance. Garage.

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At "ST. JOSEPH'S," CLONDALKIN

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF)

ATTRACTIVE FREEHOLD AND LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

3 COMPACT FARMS, NEAR CLONDALKIN, 96 ACRES.

RESIDENCE AND 96a. 0r. 3p. (STATUTE). IN 3 OR 4 LOTS. Also Growing Crops (Wheat, Oats, Barley and Potatoes), Live Stock, Agricultural Machinery, Hay (in rick), Horses, Carts, Harness, Poultry, etc. The property is conveniently placed, close to Village of Clondalkin and within five miles of City, and consists of FOUR COMPACT HOLDINGS, which will be offered as follows:—

LOT 1—THE COMMODIOUS STONE-BUILT RESIDENCE, non-basement, and various other buildings and extensions suitable for School, Convalescent Home or Institution. Extensive farm buildings and out-offices, fruit and vegetable gardens, pleasure grounds. Situate on 11 acres 2 roods 18 perches. Electric light is laid on. Lease for 999 years from 1865, subject to £35 3s. 6d. per annum. P.L.V. on buildings £55 10s. 0d., and on lands £19 10s. 0d.

LOT 2—42 ACRES 0 ROODS 19 PERCHES (adjoining Lot 1). Held subject to an Annuity of £20 15s. 8d. (redeemable at low price). P.L.V. £57 15s. 0d. This Lot has valuable building potentialities, with extensive frontages to the main roads. On this Lot there are approximately 4 acres of oats (a fine, healthy crop of good promise), which can be taken over by the purchaser at a Valuation to be made by the Auctioneers, or otherwise will be sold separately.

LOT 3—22 ACRES 2 ROODS 25 PERCHES, on main Dublin-Naas road at Redcow, about one mile from Clondalkin, with good building frontages. In three divisions, well fenced. Good land, suitable for tillage or grazing. Held subject to Land Commission Annuity of £11 17s. 6d. P.L.V. £35. On this Lot there are approximately 2 acres wheat (imported Ironstone Red), 4½ acres barley, and potatoes, which the purchaser will have the option of taking over at a Valuation to be made by the Auctioneers. Otherwise, they will be sold separately.

LOT 4—19 ACRES 2 ROODS 22 PERCHES at "Gibraltar" and "Buck and Hounds," on main Dublin-Naas road. Held partly in Fee-Simple, free of rent, except the following:—(a) 3a. 2r. 16p. subject to Land Commission Annuity of £1 7s. 6d.; (b) 1a. 2r. 20p. subject to Land Commission Annuity of £1 10s. 2d. The total P.L.V. of this Lot is £11. The land is first quality grazing land and is let up to 31st October next, and will be sold subject to the letting.

Further particulars, Orders to View and Conditions of Sale from AUCTIONEERS, or

Messrs. F. & G. STAPLETON, Solicitors, 29 Molesworth street.

AND AT 2 P.M. ON THE SAME DATE WILL BE SOLD

LIVE-STOCK, FARM MACHINERY, CROPS, ETC.,

which comprise briefly:—"Pierce" Mowing Machine, de. Hay Rake, "Hornsby" Reaper and Binder, 4 Farm Carts, Field Roller, Ploughs, Harrows, Trap, Donkey Cart, Quantity of Harness; Farm and Garden Tools, Wheelbarrows, Dairy Utensils, Rotary Churn. LIVE STOCK: 1 Milch Cow, 2 Calves, 1 Donkey, 2 Farm Horses; about 40 head Fowl (Rhode Island and Leghorns, etc.). About 40 Tons First Crop Hay (in rick). GROWING CROPS: Barley, Wheat, Oats, Potatoes. Pit of Farmyard Manure, etc.

AND ON

TUESDAY, 13th AUGUST, AND FOLLOWING DAY, at 12 Noon.

THE SCHOOL FURNITURE & EQUIPMENT, LIBRARY OF BOOKS, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, GARDEN EFFECTS, ETC.,

Comprising briefly as follows:—School Desks and Seats, Blackboards, Oak Bookcases, Tables, Stools; the Equipment of Science Laboratory—Chemist's Scales, specially made Tables, Desks and Cabinets, etc. The Furnishings of dormitories, bedrooms, comprising Combination Beds and Bedding, Wardrobes, Chests of Drawers, Presses, etc. Large quantity of Bed Linen and Blankets, Quilts, etc. Contents of diningroom, waiting room, reception room, kitchen and domestic offices. Table Glass and China, Plated Ware and Cutlery. Garden and Outdoor Effects, Garden Vases and Seats, Sun Dial on Stone Pedestal (1850); Extension, Double and Switch Ladders, etc.

On View Saturday previous, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission by ticket, 1/-. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

OUR PROPERTY SALE ON 22nd AUGUST will include:—

VALUABLE BUILDING SITE, 10 CATHAL BRUGHA ST.

SPLENDID POSITION, ONLY A FEW YARDS OFF UPR. O'CONNELL ST.

FRIDAY, 23rd AUGUST, at 12 o'c.,

"CHERRYFIELD," TEMPLEOGUE.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE, "SCHIEDMAYER" PIANO, ETC.

FULL DETAILS IN LATER ADVERTISEMENTS.

BATTERSBY & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A., F.A.I.,

39 WESTMORELAND ST. DUBLIN.

ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1815.

AUCTION SALE,

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 7th AUGUST, 1940,

AT 2.30 P.M.

AT 35 KILDARE STREET

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY SOLD PRIVATELY).

O'DONNELL'S HOTEL (Formerly Sea View Hotel),

DELGANY, CO. WICKLOW.

Few minutes from two golf courses; on 'bus route; 19 miles from Dublin. Seven-day Fully Licensed Premises. Grocery store, main bar, diningroom, lounge and smokerooms, bathroom (h. and c.), 10 bedrooms, kitchen with Aga cooker, stabling and garage accommodation. Large yard at rear, with bottling stores. Excellent trade. Good opportunity for progressive man. Stock and furniture at valuation. Going concern. Clear possession. A.A. and R.I.A.C. approved.

Held under lease dated 24th March, 1916, for the term of 35 years. P.L.V. £37.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitor:—

JOHN McGRATH, Esq., Town Clerk, Town Hall, Wicklow;

or from the Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE,

WEDNESDAY, 21st AUGUST, 1940, at 2.30 p.m.,

AT 35 KILDARE STREET,

"RIVERSTOWN," DULEEK, CO. MEATH,

Within 20 miles of Dublin and 4 miles on the Dublin side of Duleek. Picturesque old-world cottage residence, situated in delightful surroundings in the midst of the hunting country; 4 packs of hounds. This property has been the subject of considerable expenditure in modernisation and additions. Modern drainage and up-to-date appointments. Lounge hall, with open brick fireplace, drawingroom, diningroom, 4 bedrooms, bathroom with modern fittings (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s; kitchen with Aga cooker and independent boiler. Well laid-out lawns, tennis court, kitchen garden, garage, coalhouse, good stabling with loffs. Gate lodge, with 2 rooms, kitchen and pantry.

The whole extending to an area of about 16 ACRES. Held in Fee Simple, free of all rent. P.L.V., £19 15s. 0d. (Rates about £6 per annum.)

Vacant possession will be given to a purchaser.

View by appointment only with the Auctioneers.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors:—

Messrs. McKEEVER & SON, Laurence street, Drogheda;

or from the Auctioneers.

ALSO FOR AUCTION ON THE SAME DATE,

"GLENAYR,"

16 WESTBOURNE ROAD, RATHFARNHAM.

In a quiet situation, with excellent views of mountains. A most attractive, modern, detached residence. Vacant possession.

The accommodation comprises:—Lounge hall, cloakroom (h. and c. and w.c.), 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms (2 with h. and c.), bathroom and separate w.c., large linen press, tiled kitchen, scullery, coalhouse and tool shed. Electric light and power plugs. Gas. Side entrance. Garage. In excellent order throughout. Small garden in front and large garden at rear.

Held under lease dated 17th April, 1936, for 900 years from 1st March, 1936, subject to £12. P.L.V., £36. Remission of rates still unexpired.

View any time by appointment with the Auctioneers.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors:—

Messrs. McCORMICK & LAWSON, 37 Molesworth street (Tel. 61791);

or from the Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

AUCTION SALE,

WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1940, at 2.30 p.m.,

AT 35 KILDARE STREET,

PROPERTY INVESTMENTS,

NOS. 97, 99, 105 & 107 TERENURE ROAD, NORTH,

AND 98 TERENURE ROAD, EAST,

PRODUCING A TOTAL NET PROFIT RENT OF £310 PER ANNUM.

Further particulars in later advertisements.

Solicitors:—Messrs. J. H. WALSH & CO., 1 Lower Ormond quay.

JACKSON STOPS & McCABE

(SOLE PRINCIPAL: ARTHUR W. McCABE, F.A.I.),

35 KILDARE STREET, DUBLIN.

TELEPHONE 62359 (2 LINES).

CORRIGAN & CO.'S SALES.

AUCTION WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 2.30 p.m.,

IN PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 4 GRAFTON STREET.

EXECUTORS' SALE. PETER KELLY, DECEASED.

SUPERIOR SUBURBAN PROPERTY INVESTMENT, IN TWO LOTS, AS UNDER INCLUDING SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AND FEE-SIMPLE GROUND RENTAL AT NAVAN ROAD, ASHTOWN CROSS, CONVENIENT CABRA, DUBLIN.

LOT 1.—As a whole or individually to suit purchasers. Comprising four well-built, semi-detached residences, with gardens front and rear and garages, on Navan road. Total of actual and estimated gross yearly rental, £338. The four houses are all let save one. Total P.L.V., £73. The property is subject to a remission of part rates. The estimated net profit, rent out of entire, after deducting ground rent and estimated current rates, is approximately £275 per year. The houses will be offered firstly, in one lot, and, if unsold, will be offered separately. Entire will be sold on lease subject to £38 per year, or, alternatively, each house will be sold subject to £7 per year. P.L.V., £12 5s. each.

LOT 2—FEE-SIMPLE GROUND RENT, £38 PER ANNUM, in four collections of £7 each, out of four semi-detached dwellinghouses, with garages and gardens, adjoining Lot 1. Entire held in Fee-Simple. Total Poor Law Valuation, £74.

Solicitor for Executors:—PATRICK F. O'REILLY, 66 Dame street.

10 CONNAUGHT STREET, PHIBSBORO',

COTTAGE-TYPE RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION.

Convenient Main road and 'bus stage. This is a house the Auctioneers would confidently recommend to anyone seeking a desirable small residence, economically planned, and decorated most expensively in quiet taste. There are five apartments, including kitchen. Small gardens. Garage space, with double gate entrance. Held for 180 years, subject to £3 3s. yearly. P.L.V., £16.

Solicitors:—Messrs. SHERIDAN & KENNY, 34 Eustace street.

AUCTIONEERS:

CORRIGAN & CO., 4 GRAFTON STREET.

AUCTIONS.

COUNTY OF MEATH.

SALE BY AUCTION OF

VALUABLE FARM AND CLEARANCE SALE OF STOCK AND CHATTELS.

FAVOURED with instructions from John Sillery, Esq., I will OFFER FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at CREAGH, NOBBER, CO. MEATH, on FRIDAY NEXT, the 9th AUGUST, 1940, at 11 o'clock a.m. (Summer Time):

(1) That valuable Farm of Land in the Townlands of Cellar, Henniran and Lisdeal, containing in all 325 Statute acres, held subject to The half-yearly annuity, payable to the Irish Land Commission, of £53 8s. 6d.

This very valuable Farm of Land is situate within half a mile of the Village of Nobber, and is known over a wide area as one of the best Farms in the County Meath for Grazing, Meadow and Tillage. There is commodious Dwellinghouse on the lands adjoining the County road, in perfect repair and containing all necessary accommodation for any family. The Outoffices have been fitted up regardless of expense by the present and late owners for the accommodation of all classes of stock.

Lot 2—3 Pure-bred year old Clydesdale Stallion Colts, 1 Pure-bred Connemara Pony, in foal and foal at foot, 1 three-year-old Clydesdale Stallion Colt, 2 two-year-old Clydesdale Stallion Colts, 1 one-and-a-half-year-old Filly, 1 three-year-old Connemara Pony (stallion), outstanding Working Mares, 12 one-and-a-half-year-old Colts and Fillies, 10 Mares in foal and foals at foot, 13 Pure-bred Suffolk Ram Lambs, 11 Pure-bred Suffolk Ewe Lambs, 4 Pure-bred Suffolk Sheep, 70 Cattle, including Polly Bullocks, Dry Heifers and in-calf Heifers; 1 International two-furrow Tractor Plough, 1 Spring Cart, 1 Car Bellows, 1 Horse Clipping Machine (new), 1 Chaff Cutter, 1 Bamford Mowing Machine, 1 Avery 3 Cwt. Weighing Machine, 1 small Weighing Machine, 1 Wheelbarrow (Carrie), 1 End-over-end Churn, 1 Massey Harris Double Disc Harrow, 1 Pitch Pole Harrow, 1 Saw Bench, 1 Massey Harris Horse Binder, 1 Hunter Hoe, 1 Set Gearing, 1 Pony Trap, and Harness, 1 Emery Grinding Stone, 1 Aladdin Heating Stove, 100 Barrels Feeding Oats, 1 Mahogany Sideboard, Mahogany Bookcase, Wardrobe, Table, 1 Gilt Mirror, 4 x 4' 6"; Scrap Iron and Lead.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

Messrs. VANCE & CO., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, Bailieboro', Co. Cavan; or

MICHAEL DEERY,

Auctioneer,

CARRICKMACROSS.

COUNTY OF WEXFORD.

KILLOWEN HOUSE AND LANDS

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by instructions of the Irish Land Commission under their CONDITIONS OF SALE, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of AUGUST, 1940, at Killowen House, by Mr. P. N. O'GORMAN, Auctioneer, New Ross, at the hour of One o'clock p.m. (Summer Time).

TENURE AND DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

ALL THAT AND THOSE part of the lands of Killowen, containing 49 acres 1 rood and 30 perches, or thereabouts, Statute measure, with the Residence and Outoffices thereon, known as Killowen House, situate in the Barony of Shelburne and County of Wexford, held in Fee-Simple.

The Land Commission fixed the purchase price at £886 0s. 0d. for the purchase of the Fee-Simple of the Property, pursuant to the provisions of the Land Purchase Acts, repayable by an Annuity of £42 3s. 8d., as by the Land Act, 1923, is provided. Pursuant to the provisions of the Land Acts the amount payable by the Purchaser in respect of the said Annuity shall be £21 1s. 10d. in each year, the balance of the purchase money, namely, the price bid at the Auction, is to be paid in cash.

The Property will be Sold subject to said Advance and Annuity.

Killowen House is situate about six miles from New Ross, the nearest town and railway station. The House contains four reception rooms, seven bedrooms, bathroom, lavatory, two servants' rooms, kitchen, pantry, scullery, larder and lavatory. The Outoffices comprise stabling for seven horses, stalls for twenty cattle, calf-house, open shed for cattle, garages, harness room, coach-house, car-house and wooden poultry shed. All the buildings are in good repair. Water is supplied from a pump in the yard. The right to enter and to draw and take away water from a well on adjoining lands will be vested in the Purchaser.

The Poor Law Valuation of the Buildings is £20 5s. 0d.; the Lands have not yet been separately valued.

Purchaser to pay 5 p.c. cent. Auction Fees.

For Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to:—

THE AUCTIONEER; or to

W. J. O'REILLY, Solicitor to the Irish Land Commission, 31 Upper Merrion Street, DUBLIN.

37/Z. 3630. W.H.Co.

COUNTY OF MEATH.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE

BY PRIVATE TREATY OF

PRIME FATTENING AND FINISHING FARM,

WITH SUBSTANTIAL RESIDENCE AND OUT-OFFICES, AT TOWNPARKS (OTHERWISE BALLINTUBBER), KELLS.

JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS are favoured with instructions from the Owners to

SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY

All the Estate, Right, Title and Interest in and to all that and those that part of the lands of Townparks (otherwise Ballintubber), containing 71 acres 3 roods 15 perches, Statute Measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Electoral Division of Kells Rural, Barony of Kells, Upper, and County of Meath, held in fee-simple, subject to an annuity payable to the Irish Land Commission under the provisions of the Irish Land Acts, which presently amounts to £35 3/4 (revised), being the lands registered at Folio 5868, Land Registry, County Meath.

Poor Law Valuation Lands £30 0s. 0d. Buildings £9 5s. 0d.

The lands are let to 1st December, 1940, and the Sale will be subject to this letting.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

This most desirable Farm is situated about half a mile from the Town of Kells, on the Kells-Moynalty road. The lands are of the most superior quality, and are widely known for their fattening and finishing properties. They are well sheltered, fenced and watered, and free from disease. The dwellinghouse contains kitchen and three rooms on ground floor and three bedrooms on the upper floor.

The out-offices comprise three loose boxes, two stables with tyings, large barn with loft, galvanised iron hayshed, almost new, to hold about 45 tons, and cattle shed to accommodate 40 head. There is also a stone-built and slated cottage on the lands.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

FRED W. MOORHEAD, Esq., LL.B., Solicitor, Trim; or to

JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS,

M.I.A.A.,

Auctioneers and Land Agents,

KELLS and NAVAN.

Kells, 31st July, 1940.

STORE CATTLE SALE

EVERY THURSDAY.

Entries should reach us Tuesday previous.

CRAIGIE BROS.,

37 PRUSSIA ST., DUBLIN.

GORMANSTON, CO. MEATH.

ATTRACTIVE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

It contains 33¼ Statute Acres with a ¼-mile frontage to the delightful Gormanston Beach, which is becoming more popular every year owing to its most convenient situation, adjacent to the main Dublin-Belfast road.

These lands are already partially developed, water and sewerage being laid on. Two bro-roomed Bungalows have recently been built, and will be sold with the property, which is held in fee-simple and free of rent. P.L.V. £27 15s. 0d.

CRAIGIE BROS.,

37 PRUSSIA ST., DUBLIN.

EXTENSIVE CATTLE LAIRAGES AND DAIRY YARD,

with Residence attached,

26/26a PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

WE have received instructions from Patk. Corcoran, Esq., to Sell the above Property by

AUCTION

IN OUR SALEYARD 65/68 PRUSSIA STREET, ON

THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST,

AT 3 P.M.

Premises comprise 10-roomed Dwellinghouse, with extensive Lairages at rear, including a separate Dairy Yard for 40 cows; stores with tyings for about 170 cattle, hay loft, calf houses, etc., all in perfect repair; with running water and electric light throughout.

Full particulars, on application to—

PATK. D. O'GRADY, Esq., Solicitor, 26/27 Mary street; or to—

GANLY & SONS,

Auctioneers, Livestock Salesmen and Wool Brokers, 19/20 USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

SALES BY TREATY.

WE HAVE THE FOLLOWING FARMS ON OUR BOOKS FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY:—

Near Enfield, Co. Meath	205 Acres;	no Residence.
	320 Acres;	no Residence.
	40 Acres,	with good Residence.
Co. Kildare, near Edenderry	587 Acres,	with good Residence.
Co. Offaly, near Edenderry	160 Acres,	with Residence.
Near Hill of Down, Co. Meath	201 Acres,	with good Residence.
Near Geashill, Co. Offaly	121 Acres;	no Residence.

T. F. O'TOOLE & SONS,

M.I.A.A. Auctioneers and Valuers,

EDENDERRY, OFFALY.

AUCTIONS.

Goff's Property Sales

FAIRBROOK, RATHFARNHAM.

DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH LODGE, ON 8 ACRES,

WITH VALUABLE BUILDING FRONTAGES AND 4 SMALL MODERNISED DWELLINGHOUSES.

MESSRS. ROBERT J. GOFF & CO., LTD., are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, on

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 7th AUGUST, at 12 Noon,

the above attractive Detached Residence, standing on 6 acres 1 rood 37 perches, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, conveniently situated close to Rathfarnham village, on the main road to Ballyboden, within 20 minutes' bus drive from centre of the city (as already fully advertised).

A secondary avenue leads to newly converted semi-detached bungalow and three two-storey dwelling-houses, all entirely self-contained, with own gardens and equipped with all modern conveniences. There are sites for several more houses in continuation with these, and also on the main road frontages.

The whole affords an attractive residential property combined with desirable investment, and suitable for building development, and will be offered firstly as one lot, held for 105 years to run, subject to £56 13s. 10d., practically the whole of which is redeemable at a very attractive price. If not disposed of in one lot the property will be offered in the following two lots, as shown on estate map:—(1) The Residence, with front lawn, gardens, etc., comprising about three acres Statute, to be held under sub-lease for 105 years from 1940, subject to £36 17s. 0d., and (2) the four dwellinghouses and building land adjoining, with field fronting the main road, to be held for 105 years from 1940, subject to £30 7s. 0d.

P.L.V.: Valuation of whole property, £46.

Full particulars and permit to view may be had on application to the Auctioneers, or to Messrs. FRANKS & GULTON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 31 Lower Fitzwilliam street, Dublin.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

Immediately after the property has been offered for Sale the contents of the house (as already fully advertised) will be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

On View Tuesday next, 6th August, 1940, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission by ticket, 6d., including View and Sale.

ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT.

7 & 8 GRATTAN STREET, AND YARD AT REAR

(OFF LOWER MOUNT STREET).

EXECUTORS' SALE.

MESSRS. ROBERT J. GOFF & CO., LTD., are instructed to Sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION on

FRIDAY, 16th AUGUST, at 12 Noon,

At THEIR SALEROOMS, 60-61 LOWER MOUNT STREET, DUBLIN.

The houses are exceptionally well-built, two-storey, non-basement dwellinghouses, in thoroughly good repair throughout, all renovations and repairs having recently been carried out according to Pembroke Estate requirements in order to qualify for a new lease.

No. 7 consists of combined shop and dwellinghouse. The shop, with room at back, is let on a weekly tenancy at a weekly rent of 12/6, and the dwelling portion, consisting of 4 rooms over shop, with separate hall door entrance, is let on a weekly tenancy at a weekly rent of 14/-. P.L.V. £11 10s. 0d.

No. 8 is a two-storey dwelling, consisting of two rooms on hall floor, let, with one room upstairs, on a weekly tenancy at 10/6. The other room upstairs is let on weekly tenancy at 4/6. P.L.V. £11 0s. 0d.

All rates and outgoings are paid by the landlord, who is also responsible for outside repairs.

The yard, with large entrance gate, 9ft. by 39ft., at entrance, opening out to 35ft. width by 55ft. depth (approx.), is at present unoccupied. P.L.V. £7 0s. 0d.

The whole premises are held at present at £58 rent, under a lease which is due to expire on 25th March next, and the Pembroke Estate have agreed to grant a new lease for 99 years from 25th March, 1941, at an annual rent of £15, or will grant separate leases of each house at £6 and of the yard at £3.

The property will in the first instance be offered in one lot, and, if a satisfactory price is not realised, will then be offered in either two or three lots, subject to a proportionate head rent.

Full particulars and permit to view may be had on application to the Auctioneers, or to Messrs. FRANKS & OULTON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 21 Lower Fitzwilliam street, Dublin.

KILLASHEE, NAAS, CO. KILDARE.

The reserve price not having been reached at the recent Auction, TENDERS are invited for the Purchase of this very attractive FREEHOLD Residential Farm of 240 Acres, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, mostly prime quality grazing land, situated 22 miles Dublin, 2 miles Naas. These should be addressed to the Auctioneers, or to Messrs. A. & L. GOODBODY, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 24 Dame street, Dublin, from whom further particulars and Conditions of Sale may be obtained.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE OF THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF THE FARM, including Farm Machinery and Implements, 12 acres Oats, 3 acres Wheat, Hay in Cocks (1st and 2nd crop), 2 Farm Horses, over 100 Head Cattle, including 9 Cows, 18 Calves, Heifers and Bullocks (yearling and 18 months), 2-yr.-old Hereford Bull, 11 Sheep, Ram and 4 Lambs; Poultry, including Turkeys; Dairy Equipment and Utensils, including Melotte Separator, etc., etc., and Residue of Antique and Modern Furniture.

MESSRS. ROBERT J. GOFF & CO., LTD., are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on

MONDAY, 19th AUGUST, Commencing at 12 Noon.

Full particulars in later issues.

BROWNSTOWN STUD, THE CURRAGH, CO. KILDARE.

DISPERSAL SALE OF BLOODSTOCK, LIVESTOCK, FARM IMPLEMENTS, RACING AND STABLE REQUISITES, ETC.

Having disposed of his Stud Farm, FRED. S. MYERSCOUGH, Esq., has further instructed MESSRS. ROBERT J. GOFF & CO., LTD., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT BROWNSTOWN STUD, THE CURRAGH,

On WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1940,

THE REMAINDER OF HIS BLOODSTOCK, ALSO LIVESTOCK, FARM IMPLEMENTS, RACING AND STABLE RE